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## Father Dives In But Son Killed

NANAIMO (CP) — A four-year-old boy died Saturday when he fell into the tumbling rapids of the Mill Stream.

Doctors said Colin Frederick McIsaac died of injuries.

The child's father, Ron Mc-

Isaac, a Nanaimo lawyer, and another man, identified as Robert Golding, plunged in, hoping to save the child.

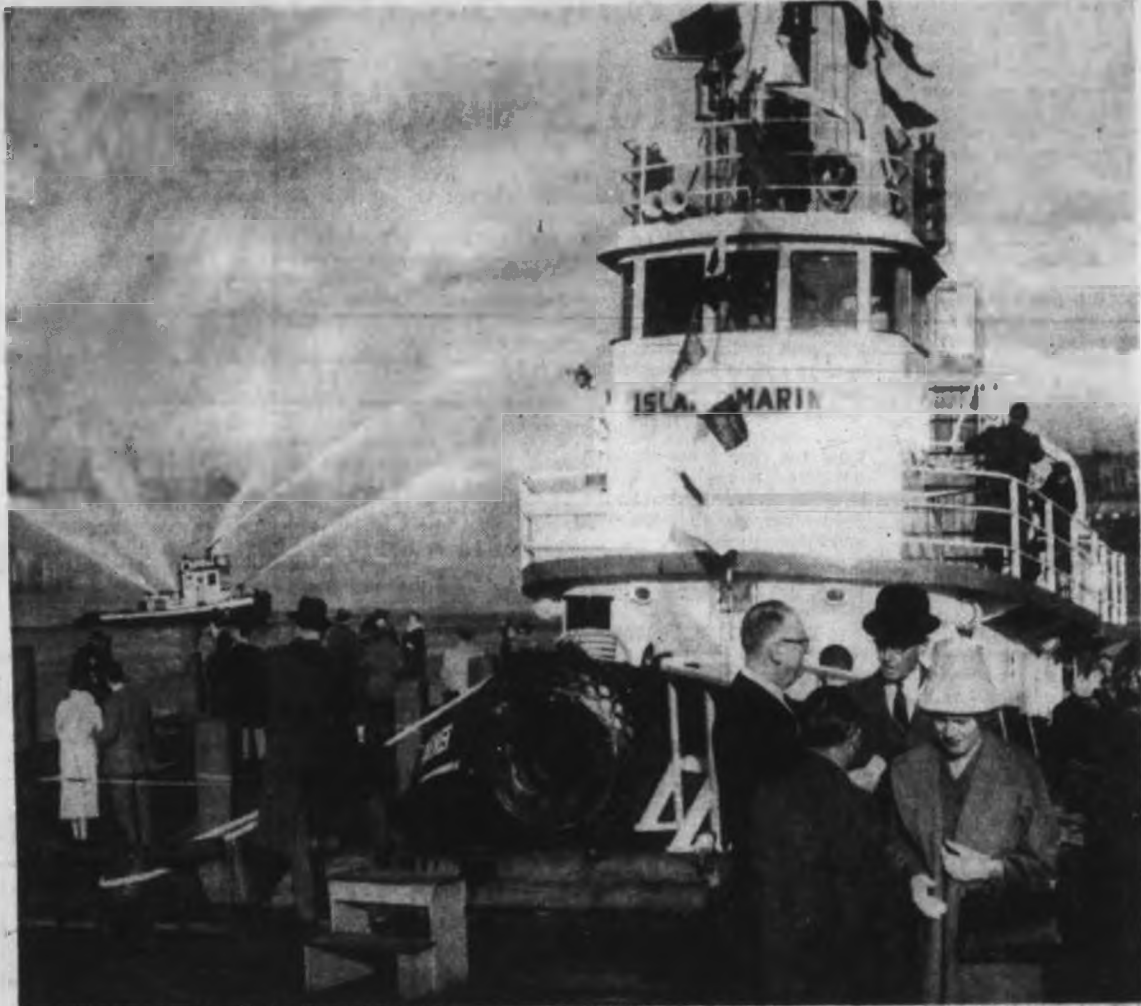
Both men were later taken to hospital, suffering from cuts and bruises.

The body was recovered.

## 'Dangerous' Quake Recorded

PANADENA, (AP) — An earthquake described as "potentially dangerous" was recorded Saturday at the California Institute of Technology. It was reported as 5,000 miles southwest of Pasadena, in the South Pacific.

# SHIFT IN ASSESSMENTS 'ADDS TO HOME BURDEN'



## Mercy Shown To Stepmother

UCLUELET — A pregnant woman convicted of beating her stepdaughter into unconsciousness received a lesson in compassion in police court here yesterday.

Mrs. Margaret Hill, 24, Long Beach, was sentenced to three months in jail and warned by Magistrate Joseph Webb that her sentence could have been two years.

"The fact that you are now four months pregnant has caused me to exercise more leniency than I would otherwise have done because I

would not want your baby born in prison," the magistrate said.

Life of the accused woman's stepdaughter, Leslie Hill, hung in the balance for 12 days after she was admitted to hospital.

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## France Halts Congo Lineup

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## 'Get Out and Work' For Needy Nations

MONTREAL (CP) — External Affairs Minister Green urged young Canadians Saturday to get out and work to help needy nations in other parts of the world.

He told a meeting of Ontario and Quebec Progressive Conservative university students the tasks awaiting them abroad present "a far greater challenge than winning elections."

Mr. Green said Canada would lose her self-respect if she adopted a neutralist policy in world affairs.

"Canada never had been afraid to stand up and be counted," he said.

## 'Recognize' Red China

MONTREAL (CP) — A resolution urging that Canada recognize Communist China was adopted Saturday by delegates attending the Macdonald Cartier conference of the Progressive Conservative Student Federation. It was unanimously approved by the 50 delegates attending the external affairs seminar.

## Car Rolls Near Duncan Victim from Victoria?

DUNCAN — A man believed to be from Victoria was in fair condition in hospital early today after a car he was driving smashed through a guard rail and rolled over at a railway crossing north of here late last night.

Unconscious and suffering concussion and other injuries, the driver of a car registered in the name of a sailor from HMCS Naden.

Police refused to release the man's name pending notification of next-of-kin.

## Russia Stays Angry

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union Saturday night rejected France's explanation of the shooting during a flight of President Leonid Brezhnev over the Mediterranean and insisted on punishment of the French fliers responsible.

"The unprecedented attack is nothing but an act of international banditry committed by the French air force," said a foreign-ministry statement made public by the news agency Tass. "To whitewash such actions and to exculpate the guilty is a risky undertaking."

France has promised a full investigation of the incident, which occurred when a French jet fighter intercepted an Ilyushin 18 plane carrying Brezhnev to Morocco on an African tour and fired bullets across its nose.

French officials in Algiers have claimed the Soviet aircraft failed to follow proper flight procedure.



President Kennedy, Vice-President Johnson  
... talks with K soon

## Kennedy Charts New Red Policy

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Kennedy talked for two hours Saturday with a panel of key advisers on U.S.-Soviet policy. He got a first-hand report from Ambassador Llewellyn Thompson on Thompson's recent confidential conference with Soviet Premier Khrushchev.

Vice-President Lyndon B. Johnson, Secretary of State Dean Rusk and an imposing array of top echelon experts on the Soviet Union attended the White House session. It was called to chart what Kennedy hopes will be a more effective policy for dealing with cold war issues.

MEETING SOON

It is now expected that Kennedy and Khrushchev probably will meet for an informal get-acquainted session in a little more than two months.

The president's purpose for such a get-together would be two-fold:

1. To make an initial exploration at the summit level — but not in a summit conference — of Khrushchev's purposes in the present phase of his policy toward the U.S.; to find out whether past agreements are possible, especially on disarmament.

DEEP CONCERN

2. To impress upon Khrushchev in the most emphatic manner that the U.S. is deeply concerned over the persistent failure of peace efforts in the Congo and Laos.

It was learned that this was only the first of a series of conferences which Thompson is scheduled to take part in with administration officials during his Washington stay.

When he gets back he is expected to take a personal message from Kennedy to Khrushchev.

## Speech to Canada?

OTTAWA — President Kennedy may address a joint session of the House of Commons and Senate before the present session of Parliament ends in mid-summer, the Colonist bureau here learned last night.

## Sea Cocks Open In Skeena Blaze

A stubborn blaze swept through sections of destroyer-escort HMCS Skeena yesterday morning, endangering large supplies of live ammunition just loaded aboard for a training tour, the Colonist learned last night.

Navy spokesmen confined their report of the blaze to a terse statement that a fire broke out in a radio room at 7:30 a.m. while the ship was in HMC Dockyard for repairs.

OUT OF SERVICE

Unofficial estimates placed damage in excess of \$50,000. It was believed the Skeena will be out of service for some time.

Naval firefighters, wearing gas masks to protect them from thick, choking smoke, battled the blaze for almost 3½ hours before announcing the fire was out, it was learned.

Sea cocks of the ship had to be opened and water gushed in over guns and gear before the blaze could be controlled, witnesses said. Firefighters emerging from below were black with soot from head to

foot and many were sickened by the fumes.

A ship inquiry was launched on the spot and cause of the blaze was believed to be "hot wires that smouldered overnight."

Officially the navy had no answer to questions of how the fire started, extent of the blaze and damage, amount of ammunition moved and destroyed, or how long the fire will keep the ship out of service.

## Red China Yokes Atom

LONDON (UPI) — Moscow radio said Saturday that Communist China has an atomic reactor and cyclotron for research.

## Reeve Raps Socreds

By IAN STREET

Premier Bennett is pulling a fast one on property owners and municipalities in the government's proposal for a new basis of property assessments, Reeve George Chatterton charged last night.

"I don't know whether it's intentional or not, but the government is trying to sneak one in," the reeve said. He said when new property assessments come in 1962 Saanich will be paying some \$78,000 of what is now the provincial government's share of school costs.

The situation could go from bad to worse, from the point of view of the taxpayer, if property values continue to rise as expected in the next few years, he said.

60-65 PER CENT

Property owners can look forward to a 60 to 65 per cent jump in assessments on land when the new system comes next year, said Mr. Chatterton.

Unless the government revises the present basis for school cost-sharing by which municipalities are required to pay a basic 12 mills in addition to sharing debt charges and paying other non-sharable education costs, mainly teacher salaries, this will mean a greater load on municipal taxpayers, the reeve said.

MORE PRACTICAL

"Here is the catch," said Mr. Chatterton. "The new system is more practical. It's easier to establish 50 per cent of current market values than to fix the present 60 per cent of what the property was worth five years ago."

"Unless the basic 12-mill education levy on municipalities is reduced to 10 or 11 mills to make up for the inequality, the municipalities' share will be greatly increased."

NO INDICATION

The reeve added that so far the government had given no indication this "logical step" of reducing the basic levy would be carried out.

"The Union of B.C. Municipalities has been fighting for years to establish at least a trend towards lightening the load of school costs carried on the backs of property-owners. This is an entirely opposite trend that will make this already crushing burden heavier," he said.

OVERNIGHT

A "side effect" of the new property assessment pattern will be the fact that owners of certain types of waterfront property may see their assessments doubled virtually overnight, "because they will be tied to current land values which have skyrocketed in the past five years and promise to go higher," said Mr. Chatterton.

Reeve George Murdoch of Oak Bay said close study of the new government assessment proposals may show it "is not as bad as it looks at first." Both he and Acting Mayor Arthur Dowell said they would discuss the matter fully with their respective officials before making any comment.

"It does look on the face of it that instead of bringing relief to municipal taxpayers it will mean an additional penalty," said Mr. Dowell.

## New Member Of Family

Latest addition to Island Tug and Barge fleet is new Island Mariner, above, a few seconds after her christening yesterday afternoon at the company dock. Champagne was smashed against bow by wife of Don Elworthy, a vice-president of ITB, who was saved from drowning in 1947 by original Mariner whose crew plucked him from sea. — (Colonist photo.)

## DON'T MISS

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## Jobless Losing Leaders—to Jobs

The local council of the unemployed, which opened a downtown office recently to give advice to jobless in Greater Victoria, has run into an unexpected problem.

Ned Hinde, one of three executive members, manned the office at No. 1, 715 John-

son Street, when it opened its doors for business Jan. 30 but soon found himself forced to give up the key jobless position. Reason: he got a job at Victoria Machinery Depot.

His successor, Bill Donnelly, scarcely fared better in terms of length of service. He now

is back working as a carpenter on a construction job.

Now the centre is being manned by John Aubry, who is filling in on a temporary basis until a permanent replacement is found.

Council chairman Aid. A. W. Toone said yesterday "one man just got into the swing of

things" at the downtown centre when he got his job back and had to be replaced. That meant a new man starting all over again.

Despite these minor difficulties, however, he added, the centre has helped many people who otherwise might have gone without.





## ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

IT'S easy to keep a clean car. Just throw all the old paper out the window.

I have followed such clean housekeepers along the highway, and watched the evidence of liddness fluttering out the windows to spoil the landscape.

The same goes for boats. Many boat-owners keep their cabins neat by tossing all their garbage overboard to wash up on the nearest shore.

This is hooliganism. Teen-agers copy the example of their elders in littering the countryside with trash—and as young people generally do, they excel their elders.

The other day I walked along a certain road that is much used by students on their way to high school. Usually they travel this road on foot or in cars. For some asinine reason, it is out of fashion for children to ride bicycles to high school. If they value their dignity, they must either drive or walk.

At any rate, this road was littered along its entire length with cigarette packages, candy wrappers, bits of wax paper, shattered pieces of bottle, and a disgusting assortment of junk.

The rubbish was evidence that the street had been travelled by selfish louts, who had no care whatsoever for other people, and no regard for the country in which they lived.

Throwing rubbish in the road is not a trivial act. It is a sign of a deep-rooted state of mind: contempt for one's fellow-humans.

The cigarette package flying out the car window carries a clear message: "To heck with you, Jack. I'm all right."

A great many people on this continent—perhaps a majority—live by that slogan. Because of such selfishness (I believe) our civilization is bound to perish.

That may seem like a fat conclusion to reach from thin evidence. Well, I won't argue about it. Let's just wait and see.

## Your Good Health

### Scars Can Be Removed By 'Abrasion' or Planing

By JOSEPH G. MOLNER, MD

"Dear Dr. Molner: I have read that scars can be removed, or at least made less obvious, by dermatologists. I understand this is done by abrasive methods. Is it expensive? I have a scar about an inch long on my forehead from an accident and often wondered if anything could be done about it. Mrs. F.C."

This abrasion method is used by plastic surgeons as well as by some dermatologists. In some cases a scar can be removed by surgical removal of the scar tissue itself, then carefully drawing the edges together with invisible stitches—stitches which are actually underneath the skin, and do not go through the skin.

#### SKIN PLANED

In some cases usually where there is an uneven sprinkling of marks, as the aftermath of acne, for example, such surgery would not be practical. However, "skin planing" or "abrasion" can be used. The skin in the area is planed down and a new surface layer grows in its place.

This method will remove many minor blemishes, but will not remove the deeper pitting which sometimes occurs. Whether the abrasion method would be suitable for you is a matter to be answered only by examination of the scar itself.

As to expense, I can't answer—I don't know what you might consider expensive. Planing is a surgical procedure. It must be done with skill and, of course, under surgically antiseptic conditions. It is by no means a trivial procedure. Many people would consider the money well spent. Others might decide that a small scar isn't too bad, after all. It depends on you and the scar.

"Dear Dr. Molner: I have a severe dandruff problem. I have tried just about all of the treatments on the market, but each week my whole scalp is covered. I am at my wit's end. Maybe you can answer my problem. Mrs. W.D."

In a case as severe as yours evidently is, I have one suggestion: Have your doctor refer you to a dermatologist (skin specialist).

"Dear Dr. Molner: Does the amount of water taken with medication have anything to do with the effectiveness? If I were to take aspirin with only a swallow of water would it be more effective than with a full glass of water?—J.K."

In most cases, including the aspirin, the effectiveness won't materially change. However, irritation from the medication should be considered. So follow directions. And with aspirin, stomach distress may be avoided by drinking plenty of water, rather than just a swallow.

"Dear Dr. Molner: My daughter, S., is overweight, and also occasionally wets the bed. Is there any connection? Mrs. A.E."

Yes, there can be a connection. Except when there is high and low for Estevan some real physical flaw, bed-wetting is primarily a matter of

of nerves and habit. The child may be upset because of the weight, or may be over-eating to compensate for some emotional conflict. It happens frequently.

"Dear Dr. Molner: Can you give me some information about distilling kerosene? I have heard of it being used for treating such diseases as cancer and rheumatism, and since it has no alcoholic content it is difficult to distill. If any special instruments are needed, I would like information about where to get them. —R.Z."

Slow down a minute, friend. First, there's not a shred of evidence that kerosene will help any such diseases. And second, I certainly wouldn't

distill such inflammable stuff—although alcohol isn't necessary to distill things. How about distilled water? In the third place, the "instruments" needed are simple enough—just a petroleum refinery. That's where kerosene comes from, the distilling or "cracking" of petroleum. For the whole idea, please.

"A READER": I question the investment in an expensive exercise machine unless some special circumstances make it unavoidable. My reason: There are so many kinds of exercise that cost nothing—walking, setting up exercises, lying on your back and kicking your feet. If the machines are worth the money to you as a matter of preference, that's fine. But they aren't usually NECESSARY to get exercise.

#### Durance Has Tenant

The long, hot controversy which ended in the city agreeing to take Durance Lake in exchange for property for a B.C. Electric power line at Thetis Lake stands a chance of being revived.

The actual exchange has not yet been made, and city council has learned of a flaw. The city solicitor advised council that the B.C. Electric has found the national defence department has an unregistered lease on 17 of the 250 acres at Durance Lake, renewable for the next 15 years, in connection with Heala rifle

range. The road to the lake runs through the leased "danger area," he said, which could rule out public use.

But Ald. Geoffrey Edgewood, whose public works committee will study the situation, maintained that the lease would not be much of a disadvantage.

Heala range is used each summer by reserve units, he said, and that brings business to Greater Victoria, and the units "put out guards along the road, with telephones."

In any event, he said, the city won't be able to develop the Durance Lake property for years.

## The Weather

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Wind warning for Juan de Fuca Strait. Cloudy with rain beginning around noon. Little change in temperature. Winds light becoming easterly 15 in the afternoon.

Saturday's sunshine, 1 hour 42 minutes. Precipitation, .07 inch. Monday outlook, occasional showers.

Recorded Temperatures: High 47 Low 40. Forecast Temperatures: High 45 Low 38. Sunrise 7:27 Sunset 5:31.

East Coast of Vancouver Island—A few showers in the morning, becoming rain in the afternoon. Little change in temperature. Winds light, becoming southeast 20 in the afternoon. Saturday's high and low at Nanaimo, 48 and 36, precipitation, .19 inch. Forecast high and low, 45 and 33. Monday outlook, occasional showers.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with rain. Little change in temperature. Winds, southeast 20. Forecast high and low for Estevan Point, 45 and 38. Monday outlook, showers.



### Getting Ready

Greater Victoria's waterfront yesterday rang with the sounds of action as skippers started to prepare their craft for boating season. Here Anthony Ward and Gillian Coombs give a hand to yachtsman A. B. Sanderson at Royal Victoria Yacht Club. (Colonist photo.)



### 'Inside Palace'

Former director general of the United Nations technical assistance administration, Dr. Hugh Keenlyside will speak on "The Glass Palace From Within" at the Victoria branch of the UN Association in Victoria Public Library Feb. 20 at 8 p.m.

### Free Meal Free Bed?

VANCOUVER (CP)—A Victorian enjoyed a \$6.40 meal at a restaurant here, then asked the manager to call police as he couldn't pay the bill.

He started with chili con carne, followed by chicken and rice and ended with a double brandy and a double liqueur.

Police later charged 48-year-old William Simpson of Victoria with obtaining a meal by false pretences.

### Humane Society Centre 'Filthy'

REGINA (CP)—The Humane Society's Regina premises have been condemned by city health officer Dr. George Walton, who declared the premises dangerous to health. He asked city council to order the society to get rid of the animals, demolish the existing buildings and remove all "refuse and filth."

### Ship Calendar

NAVY

HMCS St. Thomas returns Feb. 17. Submarine, Beaufort and New Glasgow return April 21.

MERCHANT

Victoria-Lakemba, Bateman, Nanaimo-Panama, Temples Main, Bateman-Chill, Nanaimo-Bay-Bellair, Chetumal-Bateman, Bateman-Arica, Tabala-Ottito, London, Albert-Arica, Maria Hadipatras, Wallerum.

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## Opposition Matter Of Degree

COVENTRY, England — BUDAPEST — Mrs. Josef Kevacs, operator of a state-owned book shop, got a six-year jail term for taking pawned articles out the back door, into the front door and repawning them. Police said she pocketed \$16,500 in three years of such manipulation.

NICE, France — Sir Winston Churchill flew to the balmy Riviera from chill London for a two-week vacation in the sun.

TACOMA — Peter Hantz, American-born of German descent, learned from his immigrant parents the U.S. was a land of opportunity, worked hard, saved with a passion and in his old age lived on government social security payments. His will bequeathed \$10,000 to the government for future social security recipients, most of the \$45,000 Hantz had saved in U.S. savings bonds.

To his three sisters he left one dollar apiece.

ROME — Hollywood director Richard Fleischer will use this week's total eclipse of the sun to light a film scene of the Crucifixion of Jesus Christ. Filming the story of "Barabba," he said: "We've been trying to figure how to get the lighting effect for the darkening of the world the Bible describes, the day the light died at the time of his death. Then I thought, why not let nature furnish the lighting?"

EDMONTON — A warning against hunting and eating rabbits which may have contracted tularemia, a disease peculiar to small rodents, has been issued by J. M. Brown, Alberta's director of entomology, who says many rabbits have died from the disease and northern areas of the province.

MIAMI BEACH — A hotel detective, William Alsob, 60, was shot and killed and another was wounded by a guest being questioned about his bill at the Fontainebleau Hotel. Guest John Cross was captured two blocks from the hotel.

MANCHESTER — Horace Hewitt, 53, picked up two bottles of pills from a pharmacy, one for him to build him up because he was underweight, the other for his wife — to slim her down.

On the way home, he got the bottles mixed up and for three weeks his wife, Hetty, ate more and more while he ate less and less. She put on weight, he lost.

The mix-up finally was ended by a pharmacist friend.

NEW YORK — Peggy Barnes, 16, told police she was walking home from a party with three girl friends when a man accused her of throwing snowballs at his car and shot her in the left leg.

SAN DIEGO — Detectives say Edward Albrecht, 24, has admitted he strangled his wife, Ann, 24, after an argument and then shipped her body to a fictitious address in Chicago.



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## Batista Agreed to Step Down

# U.S. Plotted to Block Castro

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Mrs. W. W. McGill, Victoria representative of the Save the Children Fund, said last night donations have come from as far away as Kilmarnock.

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### Look Up, Says Toone

## 'Spark' Sought In Job Parley

Brighter work outlook in local shipyards has primed the economy of Greater Victoria for an explosive upswing in the near future, a labor spokesman said here yesterday.

Ald. A. W. Toone, secretary-treasurer of Victoria Labor Council, said the area-wide conference on unemployment recently proposed by city council will provide the spark that gives "major incentive" to local business and industry generally.

"We've got to look up and ahead — not just stand still and look down," said Ald. Toone.

### ALL TAKE PART

"We can lick this thing," he said, if a wide cross-section of the community agrees to take part in the conference that would follow the federal government policy of encouraging expansion at this time, instead of preparing for a slide into economic depression.

Already, Ald. Toone added, the whole local job picture shows signs of changing for the better because two major shipyards in the area now have prospects of steady work ahead for some months, or even years.

"A matter of such importance as unemployment, particularly at this time, should not be left to individual organizations. The councils must give a lead even though it may lead to a certain amount of duplication," he said.

At the suggestion of public works chairman Ald. Geoffrey Edgelow, city council decided to invite participation by A. de B. McPhillips, MP for Victoria, local MLAs, representatives of councils, school boards, labor, the ministerial association, chamber of commerce and contractors' associations.

OWEN SOUND, Ont. — Mrs. Donald Campbell MacGregor, author, teacher and missionary, died after a lengthy illness. She wrote under the name of Marion Keith.

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### Military Junta Favored

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The story of a secret mission, undertaken with the knowledge of the state department and Central Intelligence Agency, to block Fidel Castro's Cuban conquest, came to light yesterday in the files of Senate investigators.

The story was told by William Pawley, former U.S. ambassador to Peru and Brazil. It was Pawley who went to Cuba in 1958 — three weeks before former president Fulbright fled the country — and tried to pave the way for a "caretaker government" which would have been both anti-Batista and anti-Castro.

Pawley's testimony before the Senate internal security subcommittee is to be released by the committee later this month. However, the story of his attempt to forestall Castro's take-over was published in advance of the scheduled Feb. 20 release.

Pawley said his mission grew out of a meeting at his Miami, Fla., home about six weeks before Castro's seizure of power. State department officials, who had participated in a panel discussion, and a CIA representative were present.

The discussion involved what to do about Cuba, he said. Pawley said he suggested that someone should try to persuade Batista to step down in favor of a caretaker government. This prompted meetings in Washington the following day at the state department and CIA.

Foster Dulles (secretary of state) was then sick but he was still available to the telephone, Pawley said. "I was selected to go to Cuba to talk with Batista to see if I could convince him to capitulate, which I did."

### THREE-HOUR TALK

"I spent three hours with him on the night of Dec. 9," Pawley testified that he had known the Cuban president for some 30 years. He said his effort was unsuccessful because Roy Rubottom, former assistant secretary of state for Latin American affairs, would not allow him to tell Batista the proposal would have approval of the U.S. government.

In proposing that Batista live unmolested in Daytona Beach, Fla., with his family while a military junta was formed in Cuba to oppose Castro's rebels, "all I could say to him was, 'I will try to persuade the U.S. government to approve,'" Pawley said.

### SELECT ENEMIES

Pawley said he made it clear to Batista that the men selected for the caretaker government would be enemies of his, "otherwise it would not work." The idea, he said, was that Castro would have to lay down his arms "or admit that he was a revolutionary fighting against anybody only because he wanted power, not because he was against Batista."

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"It came within that close of working, and the only thing in my judgment that made it fail to work was to fail to say — after all, I had known this man 30 years and I could talk to him frankly — if you will do this it will have the approval of the American government," Pawley testified.

### AVOID PROBLEM

Pawley, who made it clear that he had strongly disapproved the U.S. policy of banning arms shipments to Batista or to Castro, said the failure of his mission was "tragic in a way because I think it would have avoided the problem."

Pawley was U.S. ambassador to Peru in 1945 and to Brazil in 1946-47. Since that time he has served in the state department and the defense department. The most recent of his state department assignments was in 1954. His committee testimony was given in September.

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### What Price Island Unity?

## Victoria Fights for Honor — Of Heading Bureau Name

By TED SHACKLEFORD

Oil being spread on the troubled waters of Vancouver Island tourist publicity yesterday showed promise of bursting into flames.

Attempts to smooth over differences and persuade up-island communities to pool their advertising dollars through the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau seem to have hit a snag.

First step in revamping the bureau would be to drop Victoria from its name. Courtney Mayor William Moore told his council this week, but Victoria Ald. Arthur Dowell, president of the bureau, has taken issue with the suggestion.

OWN IDEA? "It must be his own idea," he said. "I have never heard of that before. I am not in favor of 'Victoria' being cut out of the name."

"We contribute \$50,000 to the bureau now — about two-thirds of the budget — and have for some time."

"I don't think Victoria will take too kindly towards that. The bureau has been going for 35 to 40 years and the city has been footing the majority of the budget all the time."

### NO SUPPORT

"We have been publicizing the whole island but we have never had any support from up-island."

Ald. Dowell said the bureau was willing to make concessions to persuade up-island communities to join the bureau's activities and had altered the slogan to do that.

The original slogan, devised by former publicity commissioner George E. Warren, was "Follow the Birds to Victoria." New slogan, recently adopted by the bureau, describes Van-

### Sale of Seals Record Here

The Greater Victoria Christmas Seal campaign last year reached an all-time high of \$22,862.

The total is an increase of \$1,700 over the 1959 appeal. Mrs. W. A. Kinnitt, chairman of the campaign, said last night.

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## A Foul Disease

ANOTHER black mark against 1960—which will already go down in history as a year of disaster—is the fact that it brought with it an increase of press censorship in many areas of the world to erect additional barriers to the free flow of international news and information.

Considerable confusion still exists in the minds of the public as to just what the high-sounding and often over-used phrase "freedom of the press" really means, and for this the press itself must shoulder much of the blame.

Freedom of the press is only part of a far greater freedom—the majority of democratic nations enjoy—the freedom of all men to speak their minds openly and without fear. It is not a special privilege reserved for newspaper publishers, nor does the press claim any special right which does not already belong to every citizen of a true democracy.

But it is important that press freedom remain an integral part of this larger freedom because it is the principle agency by which the ordinary man receives the information he needs to judge the actions of his and other rulers and guide him in public and international affairs. Without this freedom, the greater freedom itself quickly disappears.

In 1960 a dozen or more governments in four continents took this first dangerous step of muzzling the press. In Latin America, Cuba applied heavy censorship at the source to minimize publication of anything critical of Dr. Castro's regime. Venezuela, Argentina and Nicaragua also applied strict censorship; while the Dominican Republic used the tactics of expelling foreign newsmen to curtail criticism.

In Western Europe different

methods were employed. France enforced censorship at the source combined with her national security laws, and West German officials deliberately withheld news and information.

Censorship has been generally applied for years throughout Communist controlled Eastern Europe with the exception of Poland where no official censorship was in effect but correspondents were warned not to write on certain subjects.

In Africa, arrests, beatings and expulsion of newsmen marked the coverage of events in the Congo; South Africa applied "limitations," the Sudan restricted travel of newsmen, and Ghana imposed full censorship.

In the Middle East, the United Arab Republic nationalized all major newspapers and clamped down on all outgoing news. Iran applied a domestic news censorship, and Saudi Arabia, Lebanon, Iraq and Jordan brought in "curtailments."

In East Asia, Pakistan instituted the death penalty for "treasonous" publication, the governments of Indonesia, Laos and South Viet Nam brought the press under direct control; Cambodia simply closed down any newspaper which did not agree with the government's views. The press of Taiwan, that much hailed bastion of democratic freedom, remained as always under strict government control.

Thus 1960 set the pattern—a pattern followed by the totalitarian dictatorships which have so plagued the present century—a pattern which may well continue.

If it is not broken it may, like some foul disease, spread even wider. Already it has infected many countries we look upon as allies.

## The Picture Brightens

WHEN the picture of the future for the shipbuilding industry in Victoria is dark, something always seems to turn up to brighten it. Thus one of the city's two major yards threatened with layoffs now finds itself with a \$3,600,000 contract.

The announcement that Victoria Machinery Depot Company submitted the lowest tender for construction of a third ferry for the provincial government's Sidney-Taswawsen route is splendid news for the yard, its staff and the city.

It means that there will be steady employment, at a time when work is

most needed, for 250 to 300 shipbuilders and extra work for about 750 men in allied industries. It also means that the yard will be able to hold together its team of skilled workers and specialists, which is important to the city.

Awarding of the contract to VMD puts another feather in the cap of the company which built one of the first two ferries, the Sidney, in record time, and is a tribute to its architects and cost estimators.

On top of this is the possibility that the job of building the fourth ship will come Victoria's way.

## Why So Early?

THE British Columbia government has done it again—called off daylight saving time in 1961 on September 24 instead of letting it run for another month.

Why? What useful point is there in this premature return to standard time when such delightful outdoor weather can be expected right up until the end of October, or later?

Washington State, which is to have uniform daylight saving this summer for the first time, by act of the state legislature, will let it continue for a month longer than British Columbia. Many of the other states contributing substantial tourist revenue to this province end their summer time in late October. So do some Canadian provinces.

Yet British Columbia, which prides itself on being a tourist playground, on having the finest outdoor attractions in North America and the finest late summer and early fall climate, apparently thinks that the tourist season should be brought to a close when there is still at least another month of lovely weather to go.

It doesn't make sense. Here are the Victoria and Island Publicity

Bureau, the various tourist resorts, chambers of commerce, businessmen, municipalities and even the government's own travel bureau trying their hardest to extend the tourist season at both ends, while the cabinet by proclamation seems determined to bring it to a too-early close.

There are local considerations besides tourism. As has been pointed out several times before, an extra hour's daylight is worth far more to amateur gardeners, golfers, fishermen, motorists, parents of young children—in fact, almost everyone except the electric light companies—in September and October than it is in midsummer when the evenings are long anyhow.

October is the month for getting things done around the farm, the home and the garden. The hour in the morning given by resumption of standard time is of practical use to very few, but an hour in the evening is invaluable to all who have to work during the day.

It shouldn't be too late for the government to be prevailed upon to change its mind. The tourist organizations would be acting in their own interest if they took this matter up.

Romance of Our Hymns . . .

By Kathleen Blanchard

## P. P. Bliss

IN the past century there was held in Rome, Pennsylvania, a musical convention calculated to attract the music public of the various states.

To the convention came a young and talented musician by the name of P. P. Bliss. During the course of the convention Bliss came in touch with a veteran of gospel meetings, William B. Bradbury. The two found much to talk about, by the time the convention was over, Bradbury had talked Bliss into giving himself and his musical talent to the service of the Master.

Bliss had a fine voice, which would always be outstanding on account of its sympathetic tone and quality. One night, when he attended a revival meeting in Chicago, his marvellous voice came to the attention of the preacher, D. L. Moody, who at the close of the service beset him to speak to him. Moody related in after years that "the power of solo singing of gospel songs at evangelist meetings dated from that time."

In writing to a friend, P. P. Bliss said, "This singing and talking about the good news of a present, perfect, free salvation, and justification by faith is so popular and attractive, I do not believe I shall ever find time for anything else. It seems to me it is needed. How much of everything else we hear preached, how little gospel!"

Then came the time when Bliss and Major D. W. Whittle held many meetings in Chicago. Bliss at the time was staying in the Whittle home. One night on retiring, after many weary days of labor in downtown meetings, as he sat thoughtfully his heart overflowed with joy. He prayed with the exaltation of Christ in him, and tears in his eyes. Taking pen and paper, this postman wrote the following hymn, both words and music:

I am so glad that our Father in heaven  
Tells of His love in the Book he has given;  
Wonderful things in the Bible I see;  
This is the dearest, that Jesus loves me.  
I am so glad that Jesus loves me,  
Jesus loves even me.

O if there's only one song I can sing,  
When in His beauty I see the great King,  
This shall my song in eternity be  
O what a wonder that Jesus loves me—  
I am so glad that Jesus loves me,  
Jesus loves even me.

## The Other Side . . .



Unusual view of the Empress Hotel from above provincial government parking lot.

Photo by CHUCK CLARK

Shame on the Ant

## Punishing The Skilled

By CASSANDRA, from London

I WAS very glad to see that Mr. James Bostock, who is the chairman of Lotus Ltd., has asked: "What is the most highly taxed commodity in Great Britain?"

And then anticipating that the answering roar would be: "A bottle of whisky," he has promptly denied it. The most ferociously taxed commodity in Great Britain, according to Mr. Bostock, is "managerial capacity, that most highly skilled and nationally most valuable form of work."

He points out that income tax, when it was first introduced by Pitt 160 years ago, was mainly a tax on income from property and investment. It is now a confiscatory levy on those who, in general, have more brains, more energy and more skill than their fellows.

This attitude of treasury disapproval against the "bankable qualities from which our whole wealth and well-being derive" is reflected by the Inland Revenue towards their customers.

The bigger the taxpayer the rougher they get. Their attitude is: "You are guilty of earning more than the average worker; you are convicted of having an excessive capacity for toil; you are proven to have been in possession of more knowledge and know-how than the ordinary innocent, ignorant and foolish citizen."

"Not the slightest latitude will be given to you for this grave antisocial enterprise."

"You will be penalized to the maximum for being an ant in a world of slugs. Pay up, you industrious, intelligent, diligent citizen—or we will have the law on you within 21 days."

Nobody ever recognizes that a man who from earned income pays taxes running into many hundreds or thousands of pounds a year is by his skill and his devotion to work supporting hospitals, roads, defence, transport, agriculture, the arts and indeed everything from bandages to nuclear bombs. He is never given credit for it.

His main relaxation after he has been stripped, held upside down and shaken till his bones rattle is to read cases like that of the Derbyshire family who cost the ratepayers £40 a week while the so-called breadwinner did no work whatsoever—or the jobless man from Croydon whose family received just under £1,000 a year in allowances and National Assistance.

Go to the ant thou sluggard and point out the folly of his disgraceful, busy, diligent and conscientious ways.

## School Reports

I HAVE always been interested in school reports—not so much because of their comments on the children but for what they reveal about the teachers.

The phrases they use about their pupils are so stereotyped that you can often see the pedagogue faithfully mirrored in their hackneyed words: "Must try harder next term"; "Lacks application"; "Must show more attention"—the gloomy, dispirited words have hardly changed in the past 50 years.

Yet they do these things even worse in the United States. I have been looking at a school report from New York State on a boy of four. The teacher does not have to write her comments. She just ticks off various phrases which are cross-graded "Usually," "Sometimes" and "Rarely"—presumably the last being an interesting version of the word "Rarely."

The mile in question was assessed "Usually" under the following headings: "Talks before group," "Shows curiosity about the natural physical world," "Follows good safety procedures," "Recognizes groups," "Understands comparative concepts," "Works and plays harmoniously with others," "Recognizes the rights and property of others."

Only in one of these solemn categories was the kid downgraded to "Sometimes." This was under the gibberish heading: "Contributes science materials." Rarely, I mean rarely, have I read such meaningless nonsense.

## From the Scriptures

Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God.—Matthew, 5:8.

South Africa and Commonwealth

## Discreet Pressure on Afro-Asians

By DUART PARQUHARNON from London

IT is now more likely than not that the soon-to-be Republic of South Africa will emerge from the forthcoming Commonwealth prime ministers' meeting still a member of the club. Should this prediction be fulfilled—and the feeling here is that only last minute changes of position can now prevent it—the result will be due almost solely to the discreet manipulations of that remarkable persuader of men, Mr. Harold Macmillan.

Last August it was reported in these columns that despite the British government's attitude Nigeria, Ghana and Malaya were unlikely to stand for South Africa's continued membership in the Commonwealth if it became a republic. The positions of these black members have now apparently changed. Why?

To begin with Whitehall has pressed three arguments on the Afro-Asians at every opportunity. The question of South Africa's membership as a republic, the British say, is strictly a constitutional matter; it has nothing to do with approval of apartheid.

Secondly, if the Commonwealth prime ministers begin the precedent of examining each others' domestic policies there would be no end to it; because every member has something to answer for, the result would surely be disruption.

Finally, it is argued that the status of the South African natives could hardly be advanced by throwing their country into the political wilderness; better to keep it in where there is some possibility of influencing the government towards wiser policies.

These arguments in themselves are unlikely to have reversed the views of Nigeria, Ghana or Malaya. But they are useful ammunition against opposition criticisms should the ruling parties decide for other reasons not to press for South Africa's expulsion.

Together with arguments, it is reasonable to assume, the British have not been averse to using pressure.

While the Commonwealth is an association of equals it should not be forgotten that Afro-Asian members are dependent on Britain for money for a dam here, military support there and various grants in aid everywhere.

Having argued and pressured, diplomatically and secretly, the key to British success has been to find a formula for quietly keeping South Africa in the Commonwealth without embarrassing anyone. Nobody likes a fuss. If the issue could be played down until it hardly appeared to exist then perhaps no one would feel bound to raise it and no vote need be taken. The Commonwealth prime ministers could talk about something else.

This interpretation of what the British are up to is supported by what is known of Prime Minister Macmillan's talks with South African leaders during the past five months. The first important question to be settled was the date of the prime ministers' conference. In accordance with the promise made to Mr. Diefenbaker at the meeting last spring it had to be not later than November of this year.

Last September Mr. Macmillan raised the matter with the South African minister of external affairs, Mr. Eric Louw, when he stopped here on his way to the United Nations. The prime minister suggested the spring, presumably because he wanted to keep the summer free for his prime interest, summit negotiations, when the new African president would be ready.

Mr. Louw, according to reliable informants, said the date of the meeting was of no importance. The Commonwealth wasn't going to throw South Africa out because, before it did, South Africa would walk out.

The prime minister's reply, given after the referendum, was that the meeting be held before May 31, the day South Africa is due to become a republic. The idea was that if the issue caused the prime ministers serious

trouble it could, as a last resort, be put off on the grounds that the time had not yet come. Mr. Louw, it is reported, remained impassive.

Meanwhile the leaders of South Africa's two opposition parties, Mr. Z. P. Marais and Sir de Villiers Graaf, also paid separate autumn visits to Mr. Macmillan to press their case that South Africa should remain in the Commonwealth. The prime minister told them not to worry.

Last year he said, the mistake had been made of talking about South Africa on the first day of the meeting. This year the problem would be buried near the bottom of the informal agenda (by Commonwealth tradition prime ministers' meetings have no agenda). The South African leaders thought this a splendid idea, as, apparently, do the other Commonwealth governments who have agreed to it.

The subject which is to replace South Africa as the principle topic of the meeting which begins March 8, it became known last month, is disarmament. Because almost every Commonwealth nation, as was shown at the last session of the United Nations, has a special interest in forwarding this cause the exercise could well prove useful. It is nevertheless a device to cover up the Commonwealth's greatest internal crisis.

The official line now being put out here is that March 8 was chosen for the meeting as the earliest date convenient for all the parties concerned. The thought behind an early meeting, it is said, is that the prime ministers want to talk disarmament before international negotiations are resumed.

The feeling, however, persists that the early date was dreamed up by Mr. Macmillan long before disarmament was fixed upon as the major subject of the conference.

Meanwhile Mr. Macmillan's government can sit back relatively secure in the knowledge that it has the agreement of all Commonwealth governments not to act on the South African issue as matters now stand. The danger is that all its painstaking efforts may yet be undone by Dr. Verwoerd himself.

Reports from Cape Town suggest that the South African prime minister, may decide to take the country out of the Commonwealth if anyone dares to denounce apartheid at the London meeting. The prime ministers will thus be sitting on a powder keg. A little private humiliation Dr. Verwoerd or the leaders of Afro-Asia can probably stand. But if anyone is publicly humiliated the roof will in all likelihood blow off.

Thanks to Mr. Macmillan no one of the Commonwealth prime ministers wants a fight. But a battle there may yet be.

## Reverse the Rod

(From The Toronto Star)

ETON boys must differ sharply from any variety of schoolboy found in Canada.

The English are sticklers for tradition, and like father, like son. But what Canadian parent or teacher could expect a boy to reverse tradition so much that he will risk a blistered backside for it?

Yet the Eton boys cheered almost unanimously this week when the Etonian grandson of Prime Minister Macmillan addressed them in favor of continuing the 500-year tradition whereby senior boys are entitled to cane juniors across the seat of their pants. In contrast, they heard in

polite silence a young Etonian who denounced the practice as "a feudal anachronism."

Obviously the "permissive" theories of child psychology—which spare the rod to allow a child's personality full bloom—have made no dent in the classrooms or on the playing fields of Eton. Opinion in The Establishment still seems rather in line with the outlook expressed in 1773 by Dr. Johnson: "There is now less flogging in our great schools than formerly—but then, less is learned there; so what the boys gain at one end, they lose at the other."

A viewpoint entrenched in tradition, but apparently endorsed by young Etonians.

Time Capsule . . .

By G. E. Mortimore

## Lazy Legislature

CONSERVATIVE Leader R. B. Bennett attacked Liberal Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King's trade treaty between Canada and the United States 25 years ago.

In a four-hour speech in the House of Commons, he said that Canada was giving away too much and receiving too little.

The Daily Colonist, editorially vowed hostility to the duty-free import of American goods.

"Under the Reciprocity Treaty between Canada and the United States, American goods are admitted to this country duty free."

"The demand for this development did not come from any section of the people of this country. The assumption must be that it came from American publishers and was accepted by the government at Ottawa. It means the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars to Canadian publishers."

A MEASURE to abolish saloons in British Columbia cities passed second reading in the legislature 50 years ago. Only hotels with 30 or more rooms would be allowed to continue selling liquor.

The people of Victoria had already voted in a plebiscite to do away with saloons.

Mayor Hiram C. Gill of Seattle was recalled by the voters, 50 years ago.

## The Packsack

OF GREGORY CLARK

A POLITICIAN of my acquaintance lost a lot of ground recently in an area where he hoped to gain important influences in his behalf. It all resulted from a banquet he attended, at which he was seated between two ladies, the wives of prominent local celebrities. It was observed by many at the banquet that he paid much more attention to the lady on his right than the one on his left. But to no one was this more apparent and more humiliating than to that quiet little lady on his left.

And the sad part of it is that the quiet little lady on his left was much more important of the two, politically.

After the banquet, someone had the sagacity to mention the matter to the politician. He was horror-stricken.

"Why," he said, "I merely talked most to the one on my good ear side. I can hardly hear at all with my left ear; and she spoke so softly I hardly knew what she was saying. The other had a good loud voice . . ."

When this explanation was spread around, the lady who had been on his right heard it.

"Oh," she said, madder than the other lady, "so he thinks I am a loud talker, does he?"

To be a politician, it is best to be deaf in both ears. I guess. And a little dumb.

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## History Depends On Whose Side Tells the Story

By EMMETT MARSHALL HOWSE

"O wad some pow'r the gillie gie us,  
To see ourselves as others see us!  
It wad frae mony a blunder free us,  
And foolish notion."

Usually these well-worn lines of Burns are quoted with individual reference. But they may be equally pertinent in wider context.

As we read the Old Testament, for example, it is hard for us to realize that we are seeing everything from one point of view. This element does not matter when we are reading devotionally. The value of the 23rd Psalm lies not in its historical context but in its evocative imagery.

When, however, we read the Old Testament as history, and try to understand the life and

thought of the people of that time, we are under a severe handicap. We see things only as they appeared to the Hebrews, not to the peoples about them in the larger empires in which they lived.

It is as though people of some future time had lost all our civilization, and possessed only some poems and state papers from Luxembourg or perhaps from a single clan in the Scottish Highlands. This would not impair the worth of the literary and religious insight in the literature that was preserved. But it would inevitably create the impression that all the centuries of European history had centred around the one people whose literature had survived. That people would be the sun around which the universe of history had moved.

### Smote Them All

So we find ourselves as we read the Old Testament. We see the conquest of Canaan as it appeared to those who took the land, not as it appeared to those whose lands were taken. We read, for example, in dreadful repetition, such accounts as this when Joshua took Hazor: (Joshua Ch. 10).

"And they smote all the souls that were therein with the edge of the sword, utterly destroying them. There was not any left to breathe. And he burnt Hazor with fire."

"And all the cities of those kings, and all the kings of them, did Joshua take, and smote them with the edge of the sword. And he utterly de-

### Wolf on the Fold

An interesting case in point comes with the conquest of Sennacherib. Here the condition was the reverse. Sennacherib was the conqueror and the Israelites the victims. Naturally, conquest then took on a different view. Naturally, in Israel's literature, Sennacherib was a "bad guy." We have thought nothing but evil of him since he and his As-

syrians came down like a wolf on the fold. It is, however, enlightening to learn from translations of his obelisks how Sennacherib thought of himself and his conquests. Here is part of a text with which he celebrated his victories: "Sennacherib the great king... the wise shepherd, the favorite of the great gods, the defender of the right, lover of justice, he who gives help, who succours the orphans, who devotes himself to good works, perfect hero, courageous man, first among all the princes, the mighty man who fells the rebel and strikes the wicked with his thunderbolt."

Now Assyria was the most brutal and ruthless of the ancient empires. The Assyrians had not the easy tolerance of the Babylonians, or the wise and enlightened humanitarianism of the Persians. Assyrian conquerors exterminated whole peoples as ruthlessly as Joshua exterminated small cities. But it is interesting to find that at least one of their great kings thought of himself as "defender of the right" and "lover of justice." Was he any more self-deluded than Joshua?

### Court 'Arms' Good Driver

EBENSBURG, Pa. (AP)—A court has ruled a man with no right arm and only part of his left arm should be entitled to a driver's licence.

Licence of Joseph Plurkowsky was suspended but court was told he had driven motor vehicles for 23 years without a single accident or violation. He uses no special equipment.

### MILLER QUAKE

The greatest loss of life in an earthquake occurred in 1556 when 830,000 people died in Shensi, China.

### Letters to the Editor

#### Social Workers

Recent letters have suggested that B.C. does not need university-trained social workers in its public welfare program to determine eligibility for social assistance. To my knowledge no welfare administrator disagrees with this statement. However, since the rehabilitation of the individual is as much a part of the job as the relief of destitution it is obvious that some public welfare personnel must have more skills than that required to fill out forms and investigate eligibility.

Unfortunately experience only in handling the normal problems of everyday living does not equip one to rehabilitate persons displaying abnormal behavior difficulties. Anyone who has tried to reform an alcoholic or who has attempted to advise partners in a marital dispute is well aware of this. Hence there is the same need for highly trained, skilled, and experienced human relations specialist, in social welfare as there is for the specialist in medicine, law, etc.

B.C.'s public welfare service uses both the general practitioner and the social work specialist. Our present problems have arisen from the difficulty in separating the portion of the work requiring social work skills from that requiring more routine attention. Because of the marked increase in applications for help from employable persons over the past three years the routine work has increased and we have not been able to attract trained social workers into our program.

As a result, we now have too few specialists and those that are employed are devoting the bulk of their time to routine work.

WILLIAM HOOGSON,  
Administrator.

### Second Look

As a native of the Arrow Lakes District, I am wholeheartedly in agreement with Mr. T. B. Mathieson's views and opinions as published in his letter on Feb. 7.

I feel also during this period of so much hue and cry about building up B.C.'s tourist trade we should take a second look at the great potential the B.C. Interior has to offer in this field, particularly the Arrow Lakes District. It could be developed as a natural tourist attraction at far less cost and with a longer-lasting profit than the proposed construction of the high Arrow Dam.

The temporary relief offered the unemployed during construction of the proposed dam will be short-lived and will never be able to balance the destruction of property, uprooting of generations of hard work and in some sections the obliteration of lumbering, farming and other small industries.

(MRS.) R. GLASSPOOLE.

422 Strange Street.



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... more business

### Face It-It's Ours

## Grand Old Flag

By PETER DEMPSON

Telegram News Service

Canada is beginning to give serious attention once again to the possibility of adopting an "official" national flag.

There's a good chance this controversial question will be decided, once and for all, in time for our 100th anniversary in 1967.

The choice isn't likely to be a surprise. It will probably be the Canadian Ensign, the flag that has flown over most federal government buildings since 1921, and under which our armed forces fought in the Second World War and the Korean War.

It is, of course, the official flag of Canada for all official occasions, and it has been for many years. It has never been sanctioned by act of Parliament. All occasions on which the House of Commons has discussed the question of giving legislative authority to a flag, extraordinary and violent disputes have arisen. Parliament has not been able to agree, and Canadians have had to go on using the ensign which is now recognized everywhere as the Canadian flag.

This may not be the heroic way of deciding what is Canada's flag, but it is a typical Canadian compromise. Whether or not Parliament passes a flag bill is of less and less importance. No government would survive the outcry that would result if the Canadian Ensign were abolished.

Prime Minister John Diefenbaker is known to favor the ensign as Canada's flag. So do most of his cabinet, including several from French-speaking Canada.

Some Canadians would still like to see an emblem that would be entirely peculiar to this country. This means no Union Jack, no Fleur-de-Lis, no Commonwealth or French ties of any kind.

But it's doubtful if their view represents the majority of Canadians.

French-speaking Canada, which at one time shouted the loudest for a "distinctive" flag, now sees some merit in retaining the Canadian Ensign as the official flag. So do most ethnic groups.

Ditching the Canadian Ensign would mean severing a link with the Commonwealth. This is something most Canadians certainly don't want, least of all the French-speaking Canadians. This may be the reason for the change in thinking in Quebec.

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It's about time we realized that we have a flag of which we should be proud.

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By RAY ARGYLE

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Is Canada facing a new dilemma in the 1960s—a state of semi-permanent unemployment and inflation?

Amidst stern forecasts that the present recession—third since the Korean War—will get worse before it gets better, a Pulse of Canada survey focused on the country's economic grassroots this week to find out:

● How bad is the current recession?

● How much is unemployment really hurting Canada?

● And what is the likely course of the Canadian economy in the next year or two?

Veteran editors and correspondents who conduct the Pulse of Canada survey talked to businessmen, economists, union leaders and politicians to find out how the country is weathering the present slowdown.

Although unemployment has reached a postwar peak (429,000 were jobless in November) and the total is now probably near 700,000, observers across the country found no one classifying this recession as the prelude to an all-out depression.

Public confidence seems high right across the nation.

An Ottawa correspondent reported "no fear among government economists that we are heading into a serious depression."

But he added that it may take longer to come out of this recession than any of the periodic turn-downs since the Korean War.

"General feeling here is that the economy will continue sagging until about mid-June, followed by a slow improvement."

How does the picture look across the country?

The most depression-prone region of Canada—the Atlantic provinces—have lived with the unemployment problem for so long that this winter's jobless slump doesn't seem to have caused too much alarm.

A Halifax observer, surveying conditions in the Maritime times, reports:

"Almost since the end of the wooden-ship days, the Maritime area has been considered by the rest of Canada as a depressed region. Giant industries are few and far between and the four seaside provinces still limp along, mainly on fishing, farming and coal mining."

"Now the net is closing. This area has the highest unemployment in Canada—about 12 per cent of the 580,000 work force is idle."

Biggest cloud across Nova Scotia's horizon is the threatened closure of three Cape Breton coal mines employing 2,500 men. Because of this, the Pulse survey found Cape Bretoners frankly admitting the present recession is "serious."

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Paper Work Cut Down

Premier Bennett's budget Friday showed a decrease of \$1,250,000 in the coming year in social assistance to old age, blind and disabled cases, but city welfare administrator William Henson said the reduction couldn't represent a decrease in cases.

"I would think it would be the result of a change in accounting procedure in order to cut down the amount of paper work," he said, "and not a decrease in the number of cases. That's a good idea, because there's too much paper work."

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● How much is unemployment really hurting Canada?

● And what is the likely course of the Canadian economy in the next year or two?

Veteran editors and correspondents who conduct the Pulse of Canada survey talked to businessmen, economists, union leaders and politicians to find out how the country is weathering the present slowdown.

Although unemployment has reached a postwar peak (429,000 were jobless in November) and the total is now probably near 700,000, observers across the country found no one classifying this recession as the prelude to an all-out depression.

Public confidence seems high right across the nation.

An Ottawa correspondent reported "no fear among government economists that we are heading into a serious depression."

But he added that it may take longer to come out of this recession than any of the periodic turn-downs since the Korean War.

"General feeling here is that the economy will continue sagging until about mid-June, followed by a slow improvement."

How does the picture look across the country?

The most depression-prone region of Canada—the Atlantic provinces—have lived with the unemployment problem for so long that this winter's jobless slump doesn't seem to have caused too much alarm.

A Halifax observer, surveying conditions in the Maritime times, reports:

"Almost since the end of the wooden-ship days, the Maritime area has been considered by the rest of Canada as a depressed region. Giant industries are few and far between and the four seaside provinces still limp along, mainly on fishing, farming and coal mining."

"Now the net is closing. This area has the highest unemployment in Canada—about 12 per cent of the 580,000 work force is idle."

Biggest cloud across Nova Scotia's horizon is the threatened closure of three Cape Breton coal mines employing 2,500 men. Because of this, the Pulse survey found Cape Bretoners frankly admitting the present recession is "serious."

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## Concert Discs

# Musical Horror, But Fun

By DELOS SMITH

NEW YORK (UPI)—As a recording project dedicated to Beethoven you'll have to grant this one was out of this world. It began at West Point with the firing of old cannons and muskets taking from the military museum there.

It continued in London with three orchestras. The West Point tape was synchronized while they played separately and then together.

The result was a recording of Beethoven's "Wellington Victory" which is a musical horror and should be suppressed, in the opinion of those whose admiration for the composer swells into worship.

His so-called "Battle Symphony" was and is fun, if you'll unbind. One orchestra plays on the left. That's the French. Another plays on the right. That's the English. They battle with trumpet calls and drum rolls while the muskets and cannon pop and boom. The orchestra in the middle enters this acoustic carnage and then the uproar shakes your eyeballs.

Without stereo, nothing like this could have been recorded or reproduced. Is stereo progress? But any Beethoven should be recorded with a faithful eye on the composer's intention, and certainly he would be vastly entertained and pleased with this "Wellington's Victory." Perhaps you will be, too. (Mercury 5000.)



## New Set of 'Deskercises' Keeps Gus Trim on the Job

Gus Sikura does a leg-stretching exercise which contracts muscles in the thighs and lower abdomen, keeping them trim.

Pressing hands together is a good way of giving the shoulder muscles a workout, says Lloyd Percival, Sport College head.

Lifting one knee and pressing down on the opposite foot tenses thigh muscles on "down" foot and hip muscles on "up" foot. Exercises can be done at desk.

Gus demonstrates inhaling and exhaling exercise which tightens and relaxes stomach muscles. Exercises are for housewives and executives, too.

## Free Diving

# Pugnacious, Voracious, That's Ling Cod

By CAL SMITH

Although much has been written about the salmon, another species of fish to which many Vancouver Island fishermen owe their livelihood is comparatively unknown to the general public. Where the salmon has had the most intimate details of its private life exposed to public examination, people have remained unaware of the lowly ling cod. Even though its commercial value has, in some years, reached beyond the \$1,000,000 mark, it isn't his commercial value which makes the ling cod interesting—it is his great size, pugnacious manner, and voracious feeding habits. These attributes, coupled with courage, curiosity and intelligence, make him a real prize for the skindiver.

He is one of the largest fish in the inshore waters of Van-

couver Island, and as such is highly sought after by skindivers, whose range of depths is limited. Growing to a huge size, the ling cod frequently exceeds 60 pounds, and although 70 pounds is the current record it seems likely that larger ones do exist. Gordy Howard of Victoria last year speared one weighing about 40 pounds, while diving with only a snorkel at 40 feet.

The ling cod has no near relatives, and in this respect is unique. It is found only in northern Pacific waters, from northern California to Alaska. It spawns in the winter, from December to February, during which time the season is closed—not only for commercial fishermen, but for everyone. In summer months the cod retires to deeper reefs and returns to shallow waters only to spawn.

## On Guard for Eggs

The males come first and fight for possession of the choicest nesting areas. Later the big females, who may outweigh their mates by as much as 50 pounds, join them, spawn, and retreat again to deep water, leaving the male to tend egg masses weighing as much as 30 pounds and containing more than half a million eggs.

When guarding his nest, the male will face all comers in his fierce defence of it. I've touched their noses with my fingertip before they backed away, and even then, their retreat was only a few inches. The eggs hatch in two months, the females growing one and a half times as fast as their brothers, who rarely exceed 20 pounds when full grown. They reach tremendous ages, perhaps as much as 50 years. Biologists will not hazard a guess as to the sizeable age of a 70-pound female.

Many live their entire lives in one locality. Others move great distances, some taking part in mass migrations. With a mouth that can admit a fellow cod almost as big as himself, and wolf-like fangs, the ling cod is a very formidable opponent for anything less than a seal, and they have been known to attack skindivers on occasion. I speared one ling, weighing 30 pounds, the shaft penetrating her skull between the eyes. With absolutely no hesitation, and as if she didn't feel the stainless steel shaft protruding from her head, she attacked, bending the quarter-inch spear as if it was tin. The only thing that saved

me from severe wounds was the spear gun itself, with which I warded off the onslaught.

Ling cod are incorrigible cannibals, and I've seen one lying on the bottom contentedly digesting a brother whose tail, protruding from its mouth, was almost as large as its own. But, although fond of other ling cod, they consider nothing more of a delicacy than an octopus.

Curiosity is often the cod's downfall. Primitive Indians used an ingenious method of fishing for them, based on this fact. A wooden lure was pushed down toward the reef with a long, three-tined spear. When the spear was withdrawn, the lure spun slowly toward the surface, followed closely by curious cod. As a fish neared the surface, it was skillfully speared. This curiosity has also been responsible for filling my freezer on occasion. After surfacing to deposit a fish in the boat, I have frequently been met by cod rising from the bottom to see what was going on.

But his curiosity is matched by his intelligence, and he learns fast. Spearfishing on any reef is good the first time out and the cod can be approached very closely. The next trip they keep out of range, and trickery must be used to get within spearing distance. The underwater hunter must now resort to lying in ambush atop a boulder or behind a clump of seaweed. Soon it is almost impossible to get close to the natives and the only fish taken are strangers on the reef.



## Incorrigible Cannibal

"Lowly" but troublesome ling cod, described in Cal Smith's diving column as "an incorrigible cannibal," can be caught providing skindivers used caution—as this one did.

## Popular Records

# Quacks, Chatter, Howls And Water Down the Drain

By WILLIAM D. LAFFLER

NEW YORK (UPI)—A new off-beat long-playing record is aimed at one of the most neglected Americans, the out-doorman.

Of course, there have been lip-service LPs, such as "Music to Ski By," but actually the music therein could have been jacketed as "Music to Waltz By" or "Music to Play Musical Chairs By."

But "Game Calling in Hi-Fi" (Mercury GC100) is a genuine article.

It contains much outdoor lore supplied by Art Mercer and teaches the novice how to simulate various calls by ducks, geese, squirrels, crows, hawks and foxes. A coyote call is thrown in for westerners. This isn't a "commercial" LP, since it's angled for a specific group, but it is an interesting undertaking that should delight hunters and hi-fi bugs.

Hi-fi fans will be delighted by "Sound Effects" (Audio Fidelity DFS-7006). Almost every imaginable sound is duplicated, ranging from jets taking off from airports to water going down the drain. Those who like to hook up their own tape recordings can

create almost any gag situation they want with this record.

Special Note—RCA-Victor has begun its "compact 33" single series with "The Most Beautiful Words" by Della Reese (37-7832) and "Trees" by Andy and the Bey Sisters (37-7832).

These are played at 33 1/3 rpm instead of 45 rpm. Ironically, the new singles could lead to the end of the 45, which RCA-Victor pioneered.

Selected Singles—"Pretend a Wedding" by Janet and Jay (Leader L-810), "Big John" by Carol and Anthony (Capitol 4517), "Orange Blossom Special" by Billy Vaughn (Dot 16174), "The Uptown" by Junior Mance Trio (Jazzland J-45-702).

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## Asian Rustlers

### Die in Gunfight

MANILA (AP)—Rustlers still roam the Philippines but they steal water buffalo instead of cattle. A police patrol ran across a band making off with nine buffalo Saturday. All three rustlers died in an ensuing gun battle.

## MEMORIAL ARENA SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12  
Re-Feeling

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13  
Minor Hockey 7:00-8:00 a.m.  
V.F.S.C. (Jr.) 3:30-5:30 p.m.  
Commercial Hockey  
I.A.A. vs. Patterson 7:00 p.m.  
Pari-Albert vs. Navy 8:30 p.m.  
Civil Service 10:00-11:30 p.m.

## City-Slicker Bees Hum

TORONTO (CP)—Four hives of city-slicker bees have put to shame their country cousins by winning the Eastern Canada title for white honey production.

The homes of the 280,000 champions are beside a cedar hedge on the campus of Upper Canada College in the centre of Toronto.

Their keeper is Thomas Ireland Aikman, who has been keeping the hives humming for 18 of the 25 years he has been employed at the college. He got into the business during sugar rationing in 1942.

This year the four hives produced 400 pounds of prize-winning honey plus enough for their own food. Samples also

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# His Royal Highness Plays with Toes

By EDDY GILMORE

LONDON (AP)—His Royal Highness Prince Andrew, 12-year-old Prince Charles is first moon-faced Andrew gurgles at everyone who approaches him. Andrew cries no more than most infants, but when he does it's with a super pair of lungs that can penetrate the royal corridors beyond the nursery walls.

His birthday will occur while his mother and father are on the royal tour to India, Pakistan, Nepal and Iran. But Andrew will be far from alone. Substituting for his mother will be Andrew's grandmother, the Queen Mother, and his 10-year-old sister, Princess Anna.

When the Queen is at home two periods are jealously guarded for the children: 9 to 10 in the morning and 5 to 6.30 in the afternoon.

At the age of one, Prince Andrew is said by some members of the royal family to resemble his father. Others think he looks like his mother.

There is definitely something about his mouth that reminds you of the Queen's—a slightly long upper lip and a full lower one.

There is an expression about his eyes that suggests the twinkle in his father's. The royal family gives no physical statistics about its children, but a London physician recently studied a batch of new photographs of Prince Andrew and made these observations:

Weight—Probably a little above average.

Posture—"Sits up well for his age."

Hair—"Plenty."

Shape of head—"Good bone structure."

Summing up:

"A perfectly normal, healthy, happy child. That's my verdict."

Everyone calls the little prince by his first name. The Queen and her husband have insisted that no one address him by a title until he's at least five.

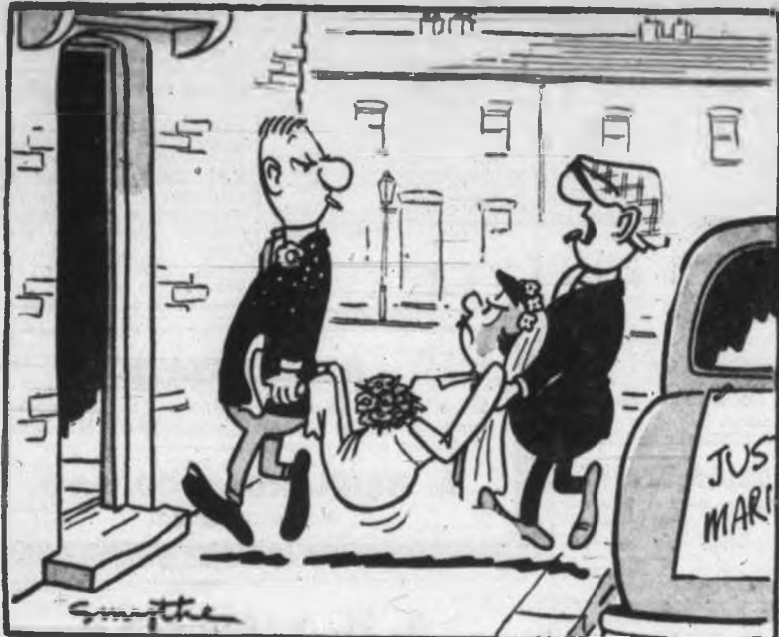
Andrew has been given some splendid and costly gifts but, like his brother and sister, is said to prefer the simpler ones.

His favorite is a plastic rattles. He is said to like this much better than a silver one.



PRINCE ANDREW

## Andy Capp



"That's women for you, Percy, first she wants to be carried over the threshold and she doesn't!"

## The Car Corner

# Amaze Your Friends Destroy Your Home!

By J. T. JONES

If you value your life more than your wife, gentlemen, today I have a little challenge for you. Amaze your friends. Destroy your home. Take this free test today.

The quiz below was thought up by Ford Motor Company after a survey that showed nine out of 10 drivers considered themselves above average. (You and I, Marnie, are really above average.)

Ford suggested sending the names of four friends who handi fill in her opinion of your driving. This is where the happy marriages dissolve. Then, by way of settling the

copies sent to you by friends, Ford advises finding a driving instructor.

The way this test goes, you mark your own estimate of your driving habits in the far right boxes. Put 5 if your answer to a situation is "always," 3 if it's "usually," 1 if it's "sometimes," and 0 if it's "seldom."

After you've totted up your own score, turn the page under to hide your answers and have your wife (or husband) fill in her opinion of your driving. This is where the happy marriages dissolve. Then, by way of settling the

## I...

	Third Party	Wife's Answer	Your Answer
Know and follow all the rules of the road	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drive at the same pace as the rest of traffic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leave ample space between me and the car in front	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check mirrors every few seconds to know what is behind	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Give other driver a break, even if law is on my side	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Signal intentions early to others with tap of horn, turn indicators or lights	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Expect the other driver to do the unexpected	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Am aware of hazards confronting driver ahead of me	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Change lanes only when clear behind, and double-check blind spot	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adjust speed with ability to see on hills, curves and at night	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drive only when in good physical shape	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keep my vehicle in good operating condition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Give trucks and buses extra room	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Space myself between "herds" of other traffic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leave plenty of space around the car for seeing and stopping	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drive below set speed limits during adverse conditions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Look ahead at least a block in town and half a mile in the country	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Put lights on when needed to be seen by other drivers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Look before pulling out into moving traffic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have plenty of room for passing, both in front and behind	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dim lights when approaching oncoming vehicles and when following	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Make smooth, unhurried stops	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keep my patience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Total			

Scoring: Over 100, too good to be true; over 90, exceptional driver; 80, expert driver; 60, average driver; 40, don't drive.

## What's Next

Thursday, Friday, Saturday—"Down in the Valley," S. J. Willis School, 8.30 p.m.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday—Folk singer Ed McCurdy at the Scene, 8.30 p.m. (and 11 p.m., 17th and 18th only).

Feb. 22—Musical Art Society's talented students recital, Holyrood House, 8.30 p.m.

Feb. 26, 27—Seattle Symphony with Milton Katims, 3 p.m. (26th) and 8.30 p.m. (27th), Royal Theatre.

## Entertainment Parade

# Weill Operetta Choir Feature

By BERT BINNY

Victoria College choir promises an entertaining evening on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8.30 p.m. in S. J. Willis Junior High auditorium.

The first half of the program is varied. Young Victoria Symphony violinist Don Kinsinger will play "Prelude" and "Allegro" by Fritz Kreisler and pianist Kenneth Johnson will be heard with Schubert's "Impromptu" and a sonata by Grieg.

Four dancers, Sharon Kirk, Gina Hiscok, Julie Banfield and Mary Spilbury, will present a Spanish dance.

The second half of the program has Irene Harris and Bill Ritchie leading a large cast in Kurt Weill's pleasant, poignant operetta, "Down in the Valley."

Robin Estlin, Ken Oliphant, Shaun Erb and Winston Roberts are also featured.



ED McCURDY

There will be a chorus of around 80 voices and 16 dancers.

Also on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the widely known and popular folksinger Ed McCurdy appears at The Scene on Wharf Street.

There will be five performances, one each evening at 8.30 and one at 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

It's good to hear that St. Andrew's Drama Club has come to life again and will present "Button, Button," about April 10.

This will be directed by Laurie Westendale with a cast including Leona Hanley, Tish Zanichelli, Sally Rogers, Paul Redchurch and Fred McGrath.

A single performance of "The Tempest" will be given here the afternoon of March 10 by the Canadian Players in Oak Bay Junior High School.

This is essentially for students of Grades 10, 11 and 12 and the Canada Council is donating 100 tickets to recommended recipients.

MONDAY!

## "SAPPHIRE"

★ British Mystery in Technicolor ★

Brought back by popular request is this good J. A. Rank mystery starring Nigel Patrick and Michael Craig as Scotland Yard men, and Yvonne Mitchell as the leading lady. Here are some London quotes: "The Observer: 'A very good thriller acted with distinction but usually found in thrillers.'"

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## LET'S TALK

By Rudolf Flesch



I happen to own a style book of the New York Times, and the other day I used it to make sure of a spelling. I promptly got fascinated by the innumerable details that fill the book and spent the next half hour browsing.

Perhaps I should explain that a style book is a little book put out by a newspaper that contains its rules for spelling, punctuation, usage, capitalization, typographical details, etc. Every newspaper has one, and rules are slightly different in each one of them. This paper may use the abbreviation Av., another Ave., and the third may use ave. with a lower-case a.

## But Not Alberta

Abbreviate the names of the provinces: B.C. (British Columbia), Man. (Manitoba), N.B. (New Brunswick), Nfld. (Newfoundland), N.S. (Nova Scotia), Ont. (Ontario), Que. (Quebec), and Sask. (Saskatchewan); but spell out Alberta and Prince Edward Island.

Abbreviate a military or civilian title before a full name only, but not with the last name only—write Capt. John Smith but Captain Smith.

In headlines and headings capitalize nouns, pronouns and verbs, and all other words of four or more letters. Capitalize No, Nor, Not, Off, So, Up; lower-case a, and, as, at, but, words.

## Rights Is Right

Courts-martial, rights of way, are the proper phrase of these words.

Write Halloween (no apostrophes).

Write Tyrol (not the Tyrol). Fu is city and ho means river in Chinese. Hence it is incorrect to use the Chinese and English equivalents together in the same title. Do not use the term Hwang Ho river. Hwang Ho or Hwang River is correct.

Mr., Mme. and Mlle. are used for citizens of the following countries: Albania, Bulgaria, China, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Japan, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, and Thailand. But M., Mme. and Mlle. are used for Rumania, Belgium, France, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Poland and Haiti.

## They Like Dinah

# 'Beautiful Talent' Fantastic Success

By GENE HANDSAKER

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—"She's a lovely lady and it gets out onto the tube," said her producer.

"Just sheer, beautiful talent," said Frank Shuster of comedians Wayne and Shuster, her program guests that week.

"A fantastic woman, determined to make it right from the start," said her accompanist of 20 years.

DEEPER CLUES

Out of the orderly confusion of rehearsal for one of Dinah Shore's Sunday night television shows came these appraisals. But it took Dinah herself to provide deeper clues to her remarkable and several-sided success, which includes:

• Her 10th year on the air for the same automobile sponsor.

• Office wallfuls of awards, including six TV academy Emmys and a Peabody certificate claiming that what television needs is 100 Dinah Shores.

• A 17-year marriage, by all evidence one of Hollywood's happiest, to George Montgomery, movie actor and now writer, director and producer as well as architect, builder and furniture designer.

• Two lively, attractive children, Melissa Ann, 13, and adopted John David, 6.

Dinah Shore, a Tennessee merchant's daughter who'll be 44 March 1, and George Montgomery, onetime Montana cowpuncher who was 44 last Aug. 29, have prospered indeed.

Miss Shore disclaims any success philosophy.

## Studio Group Seeks Play

The Studio group of the Victoria Theatre Guild will meet at the Langham Court Theatre Tuesday evening at 8 for the purpose of selecting and, if possible, casting a one-act play for entry in the Southern Vancouver Island Drama Festival.

SHORTHAND STARTED

The earliest record of shorthand dates from 63 B.C., as used in recording the speeches of Caesar and Cicero in Rome.

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In 1940 she began three years on the Eddie Cantor radio show that gave her the first big push up the ladder of fame. But "letting it happen" overlooked the preceding pounding on doors of orchestra rehearsal halls, radio stations, recording companies and booking agencies.

How long will she keep up the pace of television star, wife and mother?

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## Settles Down

## Bank Rate Criticism Takes Root

By HARRY YOUNG  
Colonist Business Editor

Criticism by leading Canadian bankers against the "bobbing about" of the Bank of Canada rediscount rate, and the violent swings in the high grade bond market, is beginning to look as if it had taken root.

Since the bank presidents in their year-end annual reports assailed the central bank and the federal treasury, for creating conditions under which it was near to impossible to do business there has been a noteworthy stabilization of the money market.

## SWUNG LESS

Since late December, the Bank of Canada rate has swung less than 30 per cent—from 3.59 per cent on Jan. 5 to 3.29 per cent on Jan. 26—and weekly changes have been only fractional.

This is in sharp contrast to the experiences of 1950 when the rate swung from 5.39 per cent in January to 2.92 per cent in May; then up again to 3.49 per cent in July before dropping to a year's low of 1.93 per cent in September and then up again to 4.20 per cent in early December.

These were the vacillations which nearly drove the charged banks to distraction, and created such chaos in the bond market that some Government of Canada issues swung by as much as 10 points during the year.

## TOO EARLY

It is perhaps too early yet to hope that the bank rate will be firmly stabilized round about the 3 to 3½ per cent mark, but Finance Minister Fleming has already given indications that in his 1961 financing he is going to give good warning of his intentions, and make new borrowings in small parcels to cause the least possible disturbance of the bond market.

Dealers in recent weeks have noted an increased confidence by investors in the bond market, but it will take a long time to erase the memories of some recent government issues, notably the 5 per cent CNR's of last Oct. 1, 1960 which were sold to the public at 97½ and within two months were marketing at 92 and under.

## BOTH WAYS

Because he is shortly to be making a lot of money for the province out of royalties on the sale of B.C. crude oil, it might have been imagined that Mr. Bennett in Friday's budget would not have done anything that threatened to restrain the sale of gasoline in the province.

But the premier probably assumed that by the time the oil pipeline from the Peace River area is connected to the Vancouver refinery system the public will have forgotten about the extra three cents in tax on gasoline and will be using just as much as ever they did.

## ONLY \$8,000,000

So Mr. Bennett will get only the \$8,000,000 in extra gas tax a year, but also the 22½ per cent barrel royalty on the crude oil the Vancouver refineries have promised to use as soon as it is made available to them.

The premier is clearly determined to show Alberta it is not the only province that can make a success of the petroleum business.

Motorists however are not likely to share his enthusiasm.

## MERGER CRITICIZED

The Financial Times of Montreal says it does not like the way the St. Lawrence Corporation has been treated in its amalgamation with Dominion Tar and Chemical.

It claims St. Lawrence is being made to carry the cross for Dominion Tar which is having a rough time in the sticky building products industry.

But the newspaper recommends St. Lawrence shareholders to accept the deal because there appear to be few advantages in fighting E. P. Taylor (whose interests own both companies) for "a minority shareholder in the clutches of Mr. Taylor has little, if any chance of improving his investment."

At the same time, Financial Times recommends that St. Lawrence shareholders should sell their newly acquired Dominion Tar shares, and "reinvest the funds in the common shares of a company which is less likely to be influenced by clever financial manoeuvres of the Dominion Tar-St. Lawrence type."



JAMES ZELLERBACH

## Ex-Envoy Critical

## Profiteering Allies 'Cut Own Throats'

NEW YORK (AP)—James D. Zellerbach, former United States ambassador to Italy, last week accused certain NATO allies of lending Russia a knife "to cut our collective throats."

He singled out Britain, France, Italy and West Germany for criticism.

Zellerbach said trade credits extended by Western European countries allow the Soviet Union to use an equivalent amount of its resources for economic competition against the West in backward areas of the world.

## CUT CONTROLS

Declaring that profit-seeking rivalries among western countries had cut down trade controls with the Communist bloc, Zellerbach added that "a number of governments . . . and since I am naming names, I

will mention the United Kingdom—find it increasingly difficult to believe that the rule should not admit of exceptions profitable to themselves."

Zellerbach also accused France of "adventuring" at NATO's expense and went on to say that Italy had waited more than necessary to end her restrictions against dollar imports.

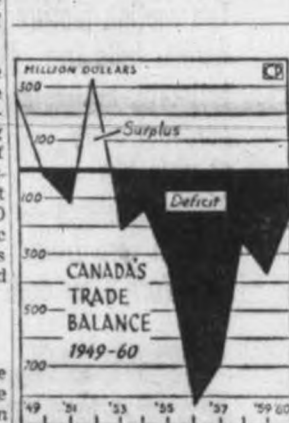
## DROPPED EFFORTS

Zellerbach, who resigned last December after four years as ambassador to Rome, attacked West Germany on grounds it had dropped its efforts to make a new trade agreement with East Germany conditional on a relaxation of Communist pressure on West Berlin.

Zellerbach spoke at a luncheon meeting attended by more than 300 businessmen and educationists.

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## Exports Up

A five-per-cent increase in Canada's export sales in 1960 cut the country's trade deficit (excess of imports over exports) to \$100,000,000, smallest since 1954 as graph, above, shows. Graph traces trade position from 1949 when the surplus reached \$261,000,000.

## Hees Points to Europe: Co-operation Key to Riches

TORONTO (CP)—Visitors to Europe come back impressed by the degree of co-operation between management and labor, and the part this is playing in Europe's prosperity.

Trade Minister Hees, commenting last week that European competitors are taking orders away from Canada, added:

"Europeans have always known that if a product is not



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competitive, it won't sell and people won't be employed producing it. Faced with the enormous task of rebuilding their economies from the devastation of war, they set about producing products which would be superior in design, better in quality and lower in price.

"As their competitors' products improved, they improved theirs also. As a result, their factories today are booming, their people are employed and they are enjoying a good standard of living."

Hees' result was not brought about by chance, but by planned effort by management and labor. Both groups realized that, working separately, they could accomplish little, but working together they could accomplish a great deal. And so they got together.

"Management and labor work out ways of improving design, improving quality, and lowering cost. They know that, by doing so, they will increase sales and increase jobs and, as profits increase, the workers know they will share in these profits in the form of increased wages. We are being set an example which we would do well to emulate in Canada."

Mr. Hees' final point—companies should invite union representatives to join a study of what is needed to increase sales.

## Fears, Resentment Smoulder North of 'Undefended Frontier'

This is the first in a series of articles by an American reporter sent to Canada to see how Canadians feel about their neighbors to the south.

By MAX HARRELSON

OTTAWA (AP)—The border is often hailed as the longest-undefended frontier in the world.

It separates two peoples who are basically much the same in viewpoint.

Both have the frontier heritage of justice and independence. They have similar likes in movies and mystery stories. They drive virtually identical cars and bake virtually the same cake mixes.

The fact that one of these countries has only a tenth of the population of the other tends sometimes to set up a sort of Little Brother-Big Brother relationship. Little Brother feels like kicking Big Brother if he considers that Big Brother is throwing his weight around unduly.

## NEEDS REPAIRING

Even so, a reporter who discusses U.S.-Canadian relations with Canadians and with Americans in Canada cannot escape the impression that today these relations are in serious need of repair.

Over much of this rich and generally prosperous country there seems to be more and more a feeling that Canadians must assert themselves more forcefully lest their own basic culture be overwhelmed by an American tide.

Both Canadian and U.S. officials acknowledge that the situation is becoming aggravated, but they minimize its gravity.

## BIT OF FEVER

The Montreal Star took note of it this way:

"A chart of the temperature of Canadian-U.S. relations would undoubtedly show at the present time a bit of fever."

A Montreal resident wrote a national magazine: "Canadians should not hate the Americans. They should kick them right out of the country."

## JUST DISLIKE

Another letter said: "We don't hate the United States. We heartily dislike the way Uncle Sam dominates and exploits Canada."

Not everybody agrees with this attitude. One of the most outspoken Canadians against the present trend is Robert M. Fowler, president of the Canadian Pulp

and Paper Association, which represents Canada's single largest industry. He said recently:

"In Canada, the simplest way for a public speaker to catch the headlines is to give a rousing speech which masquerades as rugged, independent Canadianism, but is really no more than anti-Americanism. This is a cheap and easy way to seek popular acclaim; and it is dangerous and may be disastrous."

The decline of good will and confidence is partly due to emphasis by political leaders on Canadianism and on their expressed fears that Canada is in danger of losing its identity as a result of U.S. pressures in the economic field. It is partly due to a strong revolt of Canadian intellectuals against what some call the influence of American hucksterism on Canadian culture.

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HUGH MACLENNAN

... mental colony



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... catch headlines

One of Canada's leading authors, Hugh MacLennan, wrote that Canada has become "a mental and spiritual colony of the United States."

## DRAGGED INTO WAR

Another reason for Canadian unrest is concern over Canada's almost total dependence on U.S. foreign policy. They are afraid they will be dragged into a nuclear war.

Lester B. Pearson, leader of Canada's second strongest political party, says part of the trouble is caused by efforts of Prime Minister John Diefenbaker's government to blame the United States for Canada's current economic difficulties.

Pearson is urging both countries to take a fresh look at their relations "to clear away some of the underbrush which could make these relations a jungle."



JIM COULTER

Jim is a newcomer to Victoria, but not to the automobile business. Before joining the Sales Staff at Morrison Chevrolet-Oldsmobile Ltd., Yates at Quadra, he had 25 years experience in his native Scotland, India and Eastern Canada. On his release from the British Army as a Lt-Colonel, Jim Coulter operated a General Motor's Dealership in Rawalpindi, Pakistan, until he brought his family to Canada.

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# Spurs Beat Aston Villa for Cup Warm-Up

LONDON (Reuters) — Tottenham Hotspur took another stride nearer to the English League and Cup double by beating Aston Villa 2-1 in a First Division soccer game at Birmingham Saturday.

The victory kept the Spurs eight points ahead in the First Division and gave them a psychological advantage for their fifth-round Football Association Cup clash with Villa on the same ground next Saturday.

A crowd of 55,000 watched the Spurs, making a total of more than 1,500,000 spectators who have seen the crack London team this season.

Villa was the last club to pull off the League-Cup double in 1937.

Centre-forward Bobby Smith shot the Spurs into the lead seconds after halftime and winger Terry Dyson scored their second goal. The Birmingham team hit back with a penalty goal by Stan Lynn.

Tottenham and Villa now have had 20 post-war meetings without the Midland club winning once.

With only 13 more games in the league schedule, the Spurs, with 50 points, hold a strong position.

But Wolverhampton Wanderers, their nearest rivals with 42 points, still are hoping for the leaders to crack. The Wolves beat Manchester United 2-1. United produced a tremendous late burst in a bid to tie, but the Wolves' new goalkeeper, Chick Brodie, fought off the Manchester team.

Defending league champion Burnley suffered its sixth home defeat of the season, losing 4-3 to Sheffield Wednesday, which retained third place with 40 points.

Preston North End gained its first win in four months, beating Fulham 2-0.

In the Second Division, Sheffield United increased its lead with a 2-1 home win over Luton after the visitors led 1-0 at half-time. United now has 41 points, three more than Ipswich Town.

Bristol Rovers inside forward Alfie Biggs suffered a broken leg in the Second Division game against Derby, which ended in a 1-1 tie.

A 3-1 defeat at Grimsby cut Queen's Park Rangers' lead in the Third Division to three points. The Rangers have 42 points.

Peterborough, by trouncing Exeter 7-1, gained its biggest win since being admitted to the clubs were beaten.

Fourth Division. Peterborough retained second place, five points behind Crystal Palace, which notched a 4-1 home win over Rochdale.

Hibernian, the crack Edinburgh club, swamped the non-league Peebles Rovers 15-1 in the second round of the Scottish Cup. Centre forward Joe Baker scored nine of the goals.

Kilmarnock, a finalist last season, lost 2-1 to Hearts, Rangers, the defending Cup holders, beaten 4-2 in a mid-points. The Rangers have 42 points.

All the surviving non-league clubs were beaten.

## ENGLISH LEAGUE

### First Division

Aston Villa 2, Tottenham Hotspur 1.  
Birmingham 2, Blackburn Rovers 1.  
Bristol City 2, Bradford City 1.  
Bristol Rovers 1, Derby County 1.  
Cardiff City 2, Charlton Athletic 1.  
Charlton Athletic 1, Lincoln City 1.  
Derby County 1, Liverpool 1.  
Everton 1, Grimsby Town 1.  
Grimsby Town 1, Norwich City 1.  
Hull City 1, Ipswich Town 1.  
Ipswich Town 1, Southampton 1.  
Leeds United 1, Manchester City 1.  
Manchester City 1, Newcastle United 1.  
Newcastle United 1, Preston North End 1.  
Preston North End 1, West Ham United 1.  
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Tottenham 2, Aston Villa 1.  
Wolverhampton 2, Manchester City 1.

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## Minor Hockey

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schedule follows:

Tuesday—7 a.m., midget playoffs, Bears vs. Indians.  
Thursday—7 a.m., bantams, Royals vs. Vikings.  
Friday—7 a.m., juvenile playoffs, Leafs vs. Aces.  
Saturday—8 a.m., peewee and tom, 4:30 p.m. bantam, Maroons vs. Captain.

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Buttons Won By Top Bows

Ian Thain, Betty Thain and Greg Smith won the button matches held by Victoria Bowmen archery club last week.

Top scorers follow:

Men—Frank Jones 528, Ian Thain 504, Bob Miller 488, Stewart Pringle 448, Bob Miller 408, Ron Richardson 388.

Women—Lil Jones 484, Betty Thain 464, Irene Miller 444, Marya Pringle 424, Ellen Miller 404, Vera Pringle 384, Norma Richardson 364, Joan Miller 344, Steve Sullivan 324.

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# Cardinal Denies He's Turning Pro

Larry Cardinal, Canadian Army middleweight champion, denied last night that he is planning to turn professional and fight on a card Thursday night at Memorial Arena.

Promoter Bert Smith and matchmaker Matty Morrell had announced to the Colonist that Cardinal would fight professionally for the first time on Thursday, and that an opponent was being lined up.

"I don't know where they got their information," Cardinal said last night. "I've never even seen either one of them. I have no intention of turning professional. For that matter, I haven't even decided whether or not I'm going to fight again as an amateur."

# Canadian Duo On Sidelines?

ARDMORE, Pa.—Canadian brother and sister team favored to win the pairs competition at the National American Figure Skating Championships today, Maria and Otto Jelenc of Oakville, Ont., were injured during a practice session Saturday.

The doctor who treated them advised the Jelencs not to skate today but Maria said she and her brother had not yet decided what to do. Otto had four stitches taken in the back of his head which was cut when he and his sister fell. Maria's leg was scraped.

Canadian skaters did well, however, in Saturday's events. Donald Jackson, Canadian men's singles champ from Oshawa and the dance team of Virginia Thompson and Bill McLachlan of Toronto won all the first-place votes of the judges in their two specialties. They took almost insurmountable leads at the end of the first half of their competitions.

# Hemsworth Tenpin Leader

Earl Hemsworth and the Morneau brothers took the early lead yesterday in the singles and doubles events of the annual city handicap tenpin championships.

Hemsworth rolled a 526 series which his 87 handicap boosted to 613. Tied for the runner-up spot were Danny Lore, 542-68-608 and Paul Morneau, 476-132-608. They were the only three to break 600 on an aggregate score.

Paul and Oral Morneau topped the doubles with 1,254. Next were Slim Wookey and Frank Waters at 1,195; Ken Arnold and Vic Skinner at 1,138, and Bert Nelson and Ian Smith, 1,118.

Tournament continues today at the Aurora Lanes.

# Whites Take Over By Trimming Varsity

According to the Senior Tables calculated for this year, the best team for 1961 was the Whites (Times shown are Pacific Standard Time).

AM	Major	Today	Minor	Major
3:30	8.5	MONDAY	3:30	8.10
3:30	8.5	TUESDAY	4:30	10.15
4:30	10.5	WEDNESDAY	5:30	11.15
6:30	11.5	THURSDAY	6:30	12.30
6:30	11.5	FRIDAY	7:00	12.30
7:30	1.10	SATURDAY	8:00	1.45
8:15	1.20	SUNDAY	9:00	2.30
9:00	2.30	MONDAY	10:30	3.10
10:00	4.30	TUESDAY	11:10	4.05

Major indoor periods, between 11 to 12 hours, dark 12 to 13 hours. Minor periods, shorter in duration, light type.

# Palmer Out in Front In Phoenix Golf Test

PHOENIX, Ariz. (CP)—Rushing up from behind in a fashion he has made typical, the remarkable Arnold Palmer took command of the \$30,000 Phoenix open golf tournament at the three-quarter mark Saturday.

Palmer fired a four-under-par 66 in the third round and at 10-under-par 200 for 54 holes, will carry a two-stroke lead over defending champion Jack Fleck into today's final 18. Even with his third brilliant

# World Record Crowd Watches Cricket Test

MELBOURNE (Reuters)—A world record cricket crowd of 90,800 saw Australia bat into a powerful position after dismissing West Indies for 292 on the second day of the deciding fifth cricket Test Saturday.

Colin McDonald, 91, and Bob Simpson, 75, gave Australia its best start of the series with an opening stand of 146 and at the close Australia was 236 for three. It was then 56 runs behind with seven wickets in hand.

Previous attendance record was 87,798 on this ground for



# Muddy Day at Bowie

Jockeys Arthur Chambers and Jimmy Verrone, left and right, are covered with mud after surviving a three-hour spill in first race at Bowie, Maryland, track Saturday. Jockeys voted to refuse to ride after second race because of treacherous conditions.—(AP Photofax.)

# Carmichael Rink Captures Interior Curling Honors

KAMLOOPS (CP)—R. D. Carmichael of Nelson defeated Reg Stone of Trail 12-7 here Saturday and won the right to represent the British Columbia Curling Association in the provincial final.

The Carmichael rink and Tony Folk of White Rock, champion of the Pacific Coast Association, meet today in a best of three series for the B.C. title. Winner advances to the Canadian finals at Calgary next month.

# Hockey Scores

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	T	P
Montreal 1, New York 2				
Toronto 4, Boston 2				
Chicago 4, Quebec 1				
Rochester 3, Cleveland 2				
Springfield 4, Buffalo 3				
SAN ANTONIO LEAGUE				
San Antonio 1, Fort Worth 4				
El Paso 5, Dallas 0				
OKLAHOMA LEAGUE				
Edmond 1, Norman 11				
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL				
East 1, West 11				
WESTERN LEAGUE				
Vancouver 1, Seattle 11				
Winnipeg 1, Spokane 11				
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE				
Edmonton 1, Montreal 2				
St. Paul 1, Fort Worth 2				
EASTERN PROFESSIONAL				
Kingston 3, Sudbury 5				

# Canadian Records Cracked at Gala

Two more Canadian records fell last night in the second half of the annual city swimming championships, and the Victoria YMCA club took the overall meet, 230-174 from the sponsoring Victoria Amateur Swimming Club.

The YMCA team of Bob Wheaton, Bruce Warburton, Craig Mearns, and Stan Cameron set a mark of 1:52.3 in the 200-yard men's open medley relay. Old record was 1:53.2, set by Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club.

The boys' 200-yard freestyle relay mark fell to Martin McDonald, Peter Parker and Paul Paquin of VASC in 1:51.3. Old record, set in 1959 by Detroit Turners, was 1:53.6.

Complete results:

100-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1:14.3; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1:15.2; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1:16.1; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1:17.0.

200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2:34.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2:35.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2:36.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2:37.0.

400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5:12.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5:13.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5:14.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5:15.0.

800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 10:24.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 10:25.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 10:26.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 10:27.0.

1,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 20:36.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 20:37.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 20:38.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 20:39.0.

3,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 41:12.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 41:13.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 41:14.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 41:15.0.

6,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 82:24.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 82:25.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 82:26.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 82:27.0.

12,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 164:48.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 164:49.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 164:50.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 164:51.0.

25,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 329:36.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 329:37.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 329:38.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 329:39.0.

51,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 658:72.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 658:73.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 658:74.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 658:75.0.

102,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1317:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1317:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1317:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1317:47.0.

204,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2635:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2635:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2635:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2635:31.0.

409,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5270:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5270:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5270:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5270:59.0.

819,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 10541:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 10541:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 10541:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 10541:55.0.

1,638,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 21083:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 21083:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 21083:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 21083:47.0.

3,276,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 42167:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 42167:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 42167:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 42167:31.0.

6,553,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 84334:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 84334:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 84334:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 84334:59.0.

13,107,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 168669:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 168669:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 168669:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 168669:55.0.

26,214,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 337339:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 337339:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 337339:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 337339:47.0.

52,428,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 674679:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 674679:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 674679:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 674679:31.0.

104,857,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1349358:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1349358:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1349358:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1349358:59.0.

209,715,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2698717:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2698717:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2698717:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2698717:55.0.

419,430,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5397435:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5397435:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5397435:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5397435:47.0.

838,860,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 10794871:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 10794871:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 10794871:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 10794871:31.0.

1,677,721,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 21589742:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 21589742:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 21589742:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 21589742:59.0.

3,355,443,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 43179485:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 43179485:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 43179485:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 43179485:55.0.

6,710,886,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 86358970:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 86358970:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 86358970:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 86358970:47.0.

13,421,772,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 172717940:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 172717940:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 172717940:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 172717940:31.0.

26,843,545,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 345435880:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 345435880:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 345435880:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 345435880:59.0.

53,687,091,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 690871761:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 690871761:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 690871761:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 690871761:55.0.

107,374,182,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1381743523:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1381743523:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1381743523:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1381743523:47.0.

214,748,364,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2763487046:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2763487046:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2763487046:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2763487046:31.0.

429,496,729,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5526974092:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5526974092:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5526974092:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5526974092:59.0.

858,993,459,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 11053948185:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 11053948185:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 11053948185:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 11053948185:55.0.

1,717,986,918,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 22107896370:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 22107896370:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 22107896370:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 22107896370:47.0.

3,435,973,836,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 44215792740:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 44215792740:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 44215792740:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 44215792740:31.0.

6,871,947,673,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 88431585480:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 88431585480:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 88431585480:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 88431585480:59.0.

13,743,895,347,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 176863170960:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 176863170960:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 176863170960:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 176863170960:55.0.

27,487,788,694,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 353726341920:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 353726341920:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 353726341920:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 353726341920:47.0.

54,975,577,388,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 707452683840:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 707452683840:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 707452683840:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 707452683840:31.0.

109,951,154,777,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1414905367680:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1414905367680:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1414905367680:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1414905367680:59.0.

219,902,309,555,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2829810735360:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2829810735360:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2829810735360:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2829810735360:55.0.

439,804,619,110,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5659621470720:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5659621470720:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5659621470720:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5659621470720:47.0.

879,609,238,220,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 11319242941440:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 11319242941440:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 11319242941440:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 11319242941440:31.0.

1,759,218,476,441,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 22638485882880:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 22638485882880:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 22638485882880:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 22638485882880:59.0.

3,518,436,952,883,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 45276971765760:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 45276971765760:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 45276971765760:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 45276971765760:55.0.

7,036,873,905,766,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 90553943531520:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 90553943531520:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 90553943531520:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 90553943531520:47.0.

14,073,747,811,532,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 181107887063040:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 181107887063040:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 181107887063040:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 181107887063040:31.0.

28,147,495,623,065,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 362215774126080:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 362215774126080:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 362215774126080:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 362215774126080:59.0.

56,294,991,246,131,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 724431548252160:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 724431548252160:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 724431548252160:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 724431548252160:55.0.

112,589,982,492,262,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1448863096504320:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1448863096504320:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1448863096504320:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1448863096504320:47.0.

225,179,964,984,524,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2897726193008640:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2897726193008640:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2897726193008640:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2897726193008640:31.0.

450,359,929,969,049,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5795452386017280:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5795452386017280:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5795452386017280:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5795452386017280:59.0.

900,719,859,938,099,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 11590904772034560:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 11590904772034560:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 11590904772034560:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 11590904772034560:55.0.

1,801,439,719,876,198,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 23181809544069120:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 23181809544069120:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 23181809544069120:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 23181809544069120:47.0.

3,602,879,439,752,396,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 46363619088138240:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 46363619088138240:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 46363619088138240:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 46363619088138240:31.0.

7,205,758,879,504,793,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 92727238176276480:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 92727238176276480:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 92727238176276480:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 92727238176276480:59.0.

14,411,517,759,009,587,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 185454476352552960:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 185454476352552960:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 185454476352552960:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 185454476352552960:55.0.

28,823,035,518,019,174,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 370908952705105920:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 370908952705105920:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 370908952705105920:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 370908952705105920:47.0.

57,646,071,036,038,348,800-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 741817905410211840:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 741817905410211840:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 741817905410211840:30.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 741817905410211840:31.0.

115,292,142,072,076,697,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 1483635810820423680:56.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 1483635810820423680:57.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 1483635810820423680:58.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 1483635810820423680:59.0.

230,584,284,144,153,395,200-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 2967271621640847360:52.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 2967271621640847360:53.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 2967271621640847360:54.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 2967271621640847360:55.0.

461,168,568,288,306,790,400-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 5934543243281694720:44.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 5934543243281694720:45.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 5934543243281694720:46.0; 4. Mike McNeely (VASC), 5934543243281694720:47.0.

922,337,136,576,613,581,600-yard freestyle (11 and 12): 1. Allan Blair (VASC), 11869086486563389440:28.0; 2. Brian Carruth (VASC), 11869086486563389440:29.0; 3. Jeff Smith (VASC), 11869086486563389440:3







# It Isn't Enough to Be Functional —Designs Must Please Eye, Touch

By EDNA BLANKY  
TORONTO (CP) — It isn't enough for a thing to be functional. It must also have graceful lines and be pleasing to the eye and touch, says Prof. Eric R. Arthur, professor of architectural design at the University of Toronto.

Good design, he says, is important to the cultural development of a country. He admires Canadian design generally, but is appalled by modern lamps "which have become more of a decoration and less of a lamp."

## EASY TO CLEAN

Household equipment and kitchen utensils could be both useful and beautiful.

"Hygiene, that's probably a bad word, but hygiene is important, too. Utensils shouldn't have cracks and crevices which collect dirt. They should be easily cleaned."

## FUNNY TEAPOTS

In a modern kitchen, the old crockery teapot is probably the only thing of the past which remains, he said.

"I don't think there are modern teapots. They're a funny little Victorian thing which has remained."

The 18th century was a period of universal good taste, Prof. Arthur believes.

Standards were lost during the industrial revolution and

only now is the machine age producing things of beauty.

"We went through a stage of tubular metal and then the Swedes introduced us again to the beauty of wood. Now we're back to wood — tables and chairs — we feel wood and we appreciate the grain. Now it's oiled instead of polished."

## TRADE INTEREST

One of the most significant advances in design is the interest of trade and commerce, which "had looked with apathy until recent years."

Prof. Arthur expressed pleasure at an international exhibition of stainless steel at the National Gallery at Ottawa last fall, and he was delighted by a recent show in Buffalo of items that sold for \$1.

## LIKES GADGETS

Although he has an appreciative eye for good design, Prof. Arthur confesses an admiration also for simple kitchen gadgets "like those things that make radishes look like roses."

Trips to New York aren't complete until he visits the housewares department at Macy's to view the latest gadgets. "Some of them are very clever."

Although Canadian design-

ers have contributed in the field of furniture, the Swiss, Swedes and Italians surpass in designing cutlery and china.

"The Japanese, once noted for their lack of taste, are

noted now for their designs of china," the professor said. The motor car—"a juke box on wheels"—is not a good example of modern design, he said.



## Kiwanis Village Project Taking Shape

New 52-unit Kiwanis Village at Cook and Lang will be completed in July, a spokesman for M. P. Paine Co., contractors, said yesterday. Construc-

12 Daily Colonist, Victoria  
Sunday, Feb. 12, 1961

## For Mum

**HATFIELD, England (CP)** — Mothers-in-law who move in with young couples in this Hertfordshire town will no longer be in the way. The council is building special maisonettes above the newly-weds' flats — complete with separate entrances.

## Work on Big Telescope To Start Within Month

Yarrows Ltd. plans to start work within a month on water-proofing, repairing and repainting the huge 72-inch telescope at the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory on Little Saanich Mountain. Repairs and painting will also be done to the 68-foot diameter dome, and the 48-inch telescope dome by 10 men.

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## Touring Pair Seeks Ideas For Campus

Two members of the Victoria University development board are now touring U.S. universities in search of ideas for the layout of its local campus.

R. B. Wilson, board chairman, and E. W. Arnott are making the 10-day tour at their own expense. During the tour, they will interview Prof. William W. Wurster, dean of architecture at the University of California and one of the world's foremost campus designers.

## Season, Quotas Set for Halibut

The International Pacific Halibut Commission will recommend to the governments of Canada and the United States that the halibut season open May 10, with the exception of two U.S. areas, and that increased catch quotas be set.

The 1960 catch of 71,800,000 pounds, a record, was worth about \$12,000,000 to fishermen of Canada and the U.S.

## POWERFUL POISON

Five gallons of the toxin of the bacterium *botulinum* could wipe out the entire world population.

## Room in Kitchen Appliances Adopting 'Compact' Idea

By JOYCE SCHULLER  
CHICAGO (UPI) — There's room in the small kitchen for many of the new washer, dryer combinations, food freezers and big-capacity refrigerators.

They're "compact" that occupy a minimum of floor space. Take the new washer-dryer combinations. They vary in size from one model 23 inches narrower than a washer and dryer side-by-side to an ultra-thin model only 25 inches wide that requires no venting. Both gas and electric models handle a full 10-pound load and provide start-to-finish laundering, with cycles for three major fabric types as well as special ones for wash-and-wear loads.

Several of the compact freezers are table-top height and occupy a total of only five cubic feet, yet hold 119 pounds of frozen food.

The new compact refrigerators are completely different from old apartment-size models. They're full-height, 11-cubic-foot models that fit into just 28 inches of floor space, yet include zero-degree food compartments that hold up to 89 pounds of frozen food.

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## CCFers to Boycott New Party Affair

WINNIPEG (CP) — The Free Press says a group of Manitoba CCF members plan a boycott of the Feb. 17 fundraising dinner sponsored by the New Party. The group, termed the New Party rump movement, will not attend to show their objections to "likely labor domination" of the New Party.

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## Houses for Russians

GENEVA (Reuters) — Housing production in the Soviet Union accounted for more than half of the total European house production during 1959 in terms of the number of dwellings, says a United Nations survey published here.

The survey, published by the UN economic commission for Europe, adds that there is still a housing shortage in most countries of Europe, and that in many countries there is overcrowding.

Nevertheless, the over-all European housing situation continued to improve in 1959. Excluding the Soviet Union, which accounted for 55 per cent of all dwellings built in Europe, 8 per cent more dwellings were completed in Europe in 1959 than in the previous year, though the total number was only 7 per cent higher than in 1957. The immediate outlook is that the number of dwellings built in Europe in 1960 will be "somewhat higher" than in 1959.



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## Saanich Refusal Fairground Plea Facing Defeat

Saanich council tomorrow night is expected to refuse an appeal for a \$55,000 donation to help develop Colwood army camp site into an up-to-date fairground.

Spokesmen for the B.C. Agricultural Association, which leases the 40-acre camp site, will meet the council to ask for a donation of \$11,000 a year for five years.

## ONLY 25 CENTS

"This works out at only 25 cents a head with Saanich's population," BCAA secretary Ian McCaul said last night.

But the council recently refused to commit itself to any long-term donations when it rejected a similar application by the Salvation Army.

## CANT COMMIT

Saanich council is committed to long-term donations to Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's hospitals and councillors feel they can not commit future councils to any further donations.

And Reeve George Chatterton recently stated publicly that he is opposed to supporting the BCAA.

## MORE TO COME

The BCAA approach to Saanich council is the first of similar approaches to Greater Victoria municipalities.

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## Pays Dividends

### Steady Support Keeps Building Jobs for Winter

Steady support given the winter employment campaign by Greater Victoria residents during the past several years has been so effective that businessmen now accept the idea enthusiastically.

They have learned that tying in their products and services with the campaign publicity pays good dividends in the form of increased business.

#### FIRMS BURY

An increase has been reported in winter business and several firms have organized "Do It Now" drives and hired telephone canvassers to encourage continued results.

Local building supply firms may as much as 50 per cent of their January sales were directly connected to the campaign and that customers constantly comment they had "decided to do it now."

Despite a depressed condition of the labor market, the

National Employment Service filled 80 more vacancies last January than they did in January, 1960.

This trend has continued through the early part of February. Many men also found jobs on their own, with the over-all results making worth while the efforts expended in promoting the campaign.

#### WIDE VARIETY

It is difficult to see what effect the program has on the individual worker because of the wide variety of occupations and industries which are benefitting.

But the group effect is a little more obvious. It is roughly estimated that projects costing more than \$3,000,000 have been started in the Greater Victoria area so far this winter.

#### INCENTIVE

This includes the total value of some 18 jobs started under the municipal winter work incentive plan which is approximately \$2,500,000.

The new court house, apartment blocks, commercial and industrial work and the thousands of dollars being spent by householders and small businesses on alterations and maintenance make up the balance.

### Horning Heads Philatelic Body

Dr. W. C. Horning has been elected president of Vancouver Island Philatelic Society. He succeeds George Little. Other officers include J. C. Munro, E. L. Fielding, V. L. Eardley-Wilmet, Mrs. Vera Henderson, Arthur Teare. Honorary president is J. K. Hodges.

Mr. Fielding received the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada plaque awarded annually to the most valuable member.

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### Disability Doesn't Count

It's what a handicapped person has left, not what he has lost, that determines his value on the labor market, says a spokesman for the National Employment Service.

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### Hard to Tell How Campaign Is Breaking Down Tradition

The Greater Victoria winter employment committee says the most difficult and least rewarding part of the campaign is the "Do It Now" phase.

"It's hard because the committee is fighting against a deeply ingrained tradition that seasonal unemployment is inevitable, and unrewarding because there is no way of gauging, the committee points out, whether the work is bearing fruit," said a spokesman. The committee tries to promote work now which is normally left for spring or summer "because that's the way it's always been."

It is really cheaper if the work is done during the winter because some companies offer discounts on supplies, tradesmen and contractors have more time and can do a better

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## Tahiti Changing —Still the Same

PAPEETE — Complaints from romantically-inclined folk that Tahiti is losing the magic it possessed in the days

when the French painter Gauguin made it famous in oils, are met with residents' replies that nothing has changed to any great extent.

Tahiti, remote though it is, has always been well populated with visitors. Papeete has always been a crossroads town, they say.

Beyond the edge of the town the greenery of the tropics is the same as it was when Gauguin did his paintings.

Basic difference, residents say, is that tourists are clad in Hawaiian shirts and Bermuda shorts, while in the early days knee-breeches and buckle shoes were all the rage.

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## Going Native

# Look at Granny in a Muumuu!

By KEN MacTAGGART

WAIKIKI (TNS) — You'd never know grandma the day after she arrives here—or granddad, either.

Sun, sand and smiles smash all inhibitions, and the sedate folk that alighted from Flight 323 out of Vancouver a few hours ago have gone native.

Grandma is wearing a muumuu (Mother Hubbard of flaming hue) and sandals—if she isn't already barefoot.

Grandpa, in violently patterned shorts and sunglasses, sports a native wood cigarette-holder. And both are probably wearing a papale because a tan must be acquired gradually, and to go bare-headed at first means a bad burn.

### PRICE PROBLEM

Hawaii is the playground today of Canada's West Coast residents, though Canadian Pacific Airlines, the only direct carrier to this recreation paradise, reports more vacationers heading this year to Mexico, Hawaii is dangerously close to pricing itself out of the average holidayer's pocketbook, though it still remains a rich man's No. 1 choice.

### France Has Own Cowboys

PARIS — Trident-carrying "guardiens" of France are counterparts of the North American cowboy.

They wear broad-brimmed hats and ride the large cattle-grazing plains, known as the Camargue, between Arles and the sea.

Word is out that this is a fast-vanishing vocation despite its following on Radio Diffusion and Television Française.

That's because, apparently, nowhere else is a vacationer so enraptured by his new environment. It is more than just getting an aloha shirt; it's like joining instantly a new club where everyone abandons convention and becomes

a greeter of every newcomer that follows him here.

And it's also, perhaps, because the happy Hawaiians—and the Japanese and Polynesians and others who make up the population—are dedicated hosts. Buy a pack of cigarettes

and the clerk concludes the transaction with, "Hope you're having a good time," in a voice that implies that if you are not he'll call the Chamber of Commerce into session and correct things.

Probably it's a holdover from the days when the arrival of a ship was an event, but, whatever the reason, every plane and every tour ship gets a greeting that is like a hero's homecoming. Hawaiian orchestras greet the ships and rillions of flowers are all over the place.

### KISS GOOD BYE

If you arrive by plane, the stewardess kisses you goodbye as she hangs a heavenly-scented lei around your neck. Within a minute, at least one muumu-clad beauty, the color of creamed coffee, has hung a couple more. Ladies have hibiscus blossoms stuck in their hair. That is the introduction to what continues from then on.

All this means that Hawaii has a vacation boom going, though it is tapering off a bit. Last year 293,000 tourists came to the islands, and local officials predict 20 per cent more this year. Its lure as a holiday spot, even for brief visits, is reflected by Canadian Pacific Airlines schedule on the Friday before Christmas: six flights in a 24-hour period from Vancouver.

QUICK BEACHES

Waikiki, of course, is not typical of the islands, according to tourist officials. It is becoming slightly garish. An hour distant are quiet beaches, modest hotels, pleasant countryside. But land on Waikiki Beach, which sold for 50 cents

the Illinois town of Bartonville (pop. 6,100) is growing so fast it has its city limits sign on wheels. Mayor W. H. Lauterbach demonstrates how it works, as the town spreads out to cover another 106 acres annexed this week. Limits have expanded several times in a few months.—(AP Photofax).

Travelling Town

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## Harrison Scheme

# Sooke Ferry Link Outlined by MLA

SOOKE — Esquimalt MLA Rupert and thence to northern B.C. or Alaska. The Crescent Beach scheme is not new to Sooke. Claude Harrison, former Victoria mayor, began negotiations for the ferry years ago. Mr. Bruch spoke for two of a Vancouver Island north route, telling about perils south route which would be continued by another fast ferry northward to Prince of the world.

## Bias Biggest Barrier To U.S.-Africa Harmony

WASHINGTON (AP) — Three Democratic senators said Saturday night that racial discrimination in the United States probably is the biggest barrier to better understanding with the African nations. The trio, Senators Frank Church, Idaho; Gale W. McGee, Wyo., and Frank E. Moss, Utah, made this observation in a study based on a 22,000-mile trip covering 16 African countries Nov. 16 to Dec. 21.

## Security Uproar Spy Case Fear

LONDON (AP) — Officials here fear disclosures from Britain's latest spy case may stifle the exchange of military information between Washington and London.

The prosecution charged that the five defendants gained possession of important naval secrets, including information about nuclear submarines.

Britain's first atomic submarine, HMS Dreadnought, is powered by nuclear engines of U.S. design. It took a lot of careful work by Prime Minister Macmillan and former president Eisenhower to bring about this exchange.

Prosecution witnesses testified drawings giving details of Dreadnought were seized from the ring but conceded May and Bruno Pontecorvo, this secret material may have been distributed accidentally from Curtains now.

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## Get a Horse!

Premier Bennett's gasoline tax increase should increase the popularity of horses, hopes Taffy, owned by Gary Lock, 14, of Chemainus. Added cost might turn vacationing motorists to other pursuits, such as horseback riding. (Colonist photo by Charles Thompson.)

## Heartbreak Over Dog Kills Boy

WHITTIER, Calif. (AP) — A 15-year-old boy hanged himself Saturday after learning his pet boxer had been destroyed at the county dog pound.

The body of Steven Noble Carter was found by his mother, Violet Mulkins, in the garage of their home with a noose, fashioned from strips of bedsheeting, tied around his neck.

Officials said the dog was picked up Jan. 19 and put to death after the five-day waiting period set by law.

## Sunday Blue Laws

# Lord's Day Group Ponders Position

TORONTO (CP) — The Lord's Day Alliance is reconsidering its 55-year stand for Sunday blue laws. Rev. A. S. McGrath, general secretary, said yesterday the alliance's seven-member advisory committee is reviewing the Lord's Day Act with a view to asking the federal government to "bring it into line with modern conditions."

The act has not been changed since its passage in 1906. The alliance consists of nine member Protestant churches. Any changes to be suggested would have to be approved by the members.

While the alliance could be recommending changes in the direction of a free Sunday for the first time, Mr. McGrath said any recommendations for changes would not be drastic. He also said the advisory committee is considering ways to strengthen the act to prevent business and industry forcing employees to work Sundays.

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## Brother Admits Match Play

# Fire Chief's Child Snatched From Blazing Car Seat

DUNCAN — A volunteer fire chief's baby was snatched from a burning crib as four-inch high flames burned inches from its feet. The baby, six-month-old Larry Vye, was saved from serious injury by Dick Nimmo, a logger from Saltair, who saw the smoke and heard the baby's cries in the car parked on Station Street.

A brother, Stephen, 5, who was also sitting in the back seat, admitted to police and his mother that he was playing with matches. Another brother, Jimmy, 7, was in the front seat. "It is the first time I've ever left them alone in the car for

a second," said the crying mother, Mrs. Gordon Vye of Crofton. Burned matches were found on the car floor in the back. It is believed the boy found them in a purse that he found under the back seat. "I was only in the store a short while. I didn't know the purse was there," said Mrs. Vye.

A hole six inches in diameter was burned through the thin, wooden slats of the portable crib. A coverlet of plastic was ruined and blankets slightly charred. Mr. Nimmo saved the baby and then put out the fire with help of passers-by. The children were taken to a nearby store until the mother returned.

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## Historian Calls It Shocking

## City Spurns Own History To Ride Seattle's Coattails

## Sponging Attitude Assailed

"The shocking unconcern at City Hall" for Victoria's 100th birthday next year was deplored by James K. Nesbitt, president of the Craigdarroch Castle Preservation Society, when he spoke to Victoria branch, Canadian Authors Association.

"There are practically no plans, except a military tattoo, for a very important event in Victoria's life," Mr. Nesbitt said.

## TOO LATE

"It is almost too late now to put on a real show. We should now be advertising this event all across this continent."

"Instead of planning to suitably mark this highlight in our history, City Hall seems more interested in Seattle's fair next year—trying to get people here after they have visited that fair."

## SORT OF SPONGING

"This is sort of sponging on someone else, isn't it?"

"What we need is some imagination and some initiative and drive, some leadership at City Hall. It is too much to hope, of course, that the surrounding municipalities would be interested in the city's birthday, they being sort of foreign territory."

"They would like the city to put on the party and foot the bills, and then they could sponge on the city."

## LETHARGY, B.C.

Where history is concerned, Mr. Nesbitt said, Greater Victoria shows "an appalling lethargy."

He cited the excellent maritime museum at Esquimalt, which he said, is having a struggle to keep going, is in danger of foundering entirely, or being moved to Vancouver.

"Our merchants are hungry for tourists, yet most of them do nothing to help such tourist attractions," he said.

## RED TAPE

"The city and the surrounding municipalities find legal red tape which they say forbids them to contribute to museums and historic sites."

"Many Victoria merchants not only refuse to contribute, but they actually ignore letters asking them for help — they throw such letters into the wastebaskets, without even replying, adding rudeness to negligence. There are some exceptions, of course, but not many."

## NINE FINE FIRMS

Mr. Nesbitt said that of dozens of letters which The Castle Society sent to business firms asking for \$25 sustaining memberships, only nine had contributed.

He listed the nine: Victoria Press Limited, B.C. Electric, B.C. Telephone, George Strait Limited, the T. Eaton Company, Lund's Auctioneers, Empress Hotel, Oak Bay Beach Hotel, Embassy Court Motel.

The people who "latten on the tourist trade," are the worst offenders, Mr. Nesbitt said.

## BLACK BLOCK

Antique shops on Fort Street, which he said, do a roaring tourist business, won't light up their shops at night.

"That part of Fort Street is a black blob after dark, dreary and dark, when, with a few lights, it could be bright and beautiful, a very definite, and unique attraction," Mr. Nesbitt said.

"Too many people in this community want all the cream, and won't put even an ounce of skim milk back into the community unless they're forced to."

## PRETTY DULL

"It's no wonder many outsiders may be a pretty dull bunch—and often we are," Mr. Nesbitt said that in Greater Victoria "we seem to feel the provincial government should do everything, and the community nothing — as the capital we have very definite advantages, and so we should have, but, just the same, we should try to help ourselves instead of sponging on others."



## Elworthy:

## Keep Oak Bay Free of Traps

Oak Bay should remain safe haven in the stormy sea of radar speed traps that is rapidly engulfing all of British Columbia, Coun. Gordon Elworthy said yesterday.

He disagreed with the stand taken by Reeve George Murdoch and the police commission that radar devices were essential to catch speeders in the municipality.

## Pendray Rite Set Tuesday

Funeral services for the late John Carl Pendray will be held in Metropolitan United Church at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

The former mayor of Victoria died in La Jolla, Calif., Thursday.

Rev. Dr. F. E. H. James will conduct services in the church and at the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

## Food Stall Aims High

Second Victoria free food stall of the year is scheduled for next Saturday, starting at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. E. E. Harper, convenor, said last night the stall could even surpass the success of the last one—largest in nine years.

She appealed for meats, vegetables and cash donations.

Persons with donations can call her at GR 4-1754.

## Would Highest Court Give Fair Hearing to Gaglardi?

## Peter Bruton's Capital Notebook

## THE ENEMY WITHIN:

We paused the other day for a chat with a cabinet minister of our acquaintance and not unnaturally the subject got around to the tumult and the shouting about Highways Minister Phil Gaglardi.

"Why, we asked, did the minister simply go to the Supreme Court of Canada and ask for a ruling, one way or the other, as to whether he had the right to take his seat in the legislature in view of the contempt of court conviction?"

The answer was rather shocking. "Hmhmhm!" snorted the cabinet minister. "He's a Social Creditor and you know who appoints the judges. Do you think he would get a fair hearing?"

## Yes, sir, I do.

"SPECIAL ATTRACTION: Travelling salesmen friends of mine report that many motels on the island treat them as if they were doing a great favor by providing accommo-

dation no matter what time of the year they are in the area. That's why they're particularly impressed by the special service provided salesmen by Jack Beveridge of the Cottonwood Court at Courtenay."

Salesmen are even invited to bring their wives free of charge anytime.

"It's such a nice change for a salesman to be able to get away with his wife that it's a pleasure to have them," Mr. Beveridge told a friend of ours.

## WITH WAITING:

You can bet a bundle that there will be some spirited crossfire in the legislature when Vote 40 in the agriculture department estimates comes up for discussion in a few weeks' time. Maybe it's only a coincidence

that this year the opposition is much greater in numbers than last year but anyway the government is nearly doubling its expenditure on "pest control."

"SLIDE CHANCE: Unless Premier Bennett takes one of his famous "second looks" there would appear little chance that the government will operate fast ferries on the Seattle-Victoria route during the Century 21 Exposition in Seattle next year."

The suggestion has been brought up by chamber of commerce officials following the announcement of the construction of a fourth ferry in the budget.

But without wishing to brag, this column has con-

sistently taken the subject up with Premier Bennett during the past three months.

His answer: "There is no need for the government ferries to go on this run because the CPR has undertaken to maintain its Victoria-Seattle service next year."

LOCAL INDUSTRY: When Saanich Reeve George Chatterton gets to Ottawa as Esquimalt-Saanich's new MP—and an increasing number of people expect he will—one of the items he intends taking up is the question of federal airplane repair jobs for the Fairley Aviation plant at the Patricia Bay airport.

A vast majority of the regular overhaul and maintenance work on federal planes operating in this area are sent to the prairie plants.

If some of the work could be funnelled through here it would lead to a substantial boost to the local employment picture and the economy of the area.

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The three trucks had not worked since October, he said, which was lucky. "If they had been working the engines would have been ruined and would have to be replaced."

Trucks were parked at a service station at Douglas and Queens.

Calibre of entertainment talent was credited with setting the record. Last year's attendance was 3,500.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. G. R. Pearkes will officially open the annual meeting of the Provincial Council of Women in the Empress Hotel on Wednesday.

Thursday, Mrs. Pearkes will attend the annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses at Spencerhouse, Cook Street. Mrs. Pearkes will open the IODE Festival of 1961 at the Club Sirocco on Saturday, and Sunday, she will be guest of honor at a tea given by the Canadian Women's Press Club, Vancouver Island Branch, in the Empress Hotel.

### Visiting in Toronto

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Martin of Victoria have been recent guests at the Park Plaza Hotel, while visiting Toronto.

### Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gutoski, 2754 Asquith Street announce the marriage of their only daughter, Diane Joyce, to Mr. James Winston Cook, youngest son of Mrs. M. Cook and the late Mr. H. A. Cook. They were married in Seattle Feb. 6 and will be residing at 358 Arnot Street, Victoria, B.C.

### Going to Montreal

Miss Maureen Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb, 1946 Gonzales, will leave early in March for Montreal where she will join TCA as an air stewardess.

### Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. George wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Maureen Leslie Mae to Mr. John C. Walker, son of Mr. R. A. Walker of Victoria, B.C. The wedding ceremony will take place at Centennial Church at 7 p.m., March 4.

### From Regina

Mrs. Alfred Fisher of Regina is at present a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Watchler, 2757 Dorset Road, Mrs. Fisher will also travel to Berkeley, Calif., to visit her son, before she returns to her home in Regina.

### Trip Abroad

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lewis, Despard Avenue, left Friday evening for a three-month trip abroad. They will meet their daughter, Miss Susan Lewis in England. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. Eric Makovsky will occupy their home.

### Wedding Guests

Guests from out of town who attended the wedding of Miss Nancy-Jane Dawson and Mr. William Anthony Maynard on Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. E. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gourlay, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stewart, Margaret and Neil Stewart, Mrs. R. Thompson, Mr. D. Ternan, Mr. and Mrs. J. McAllister, Miss Gretta McAllister and Miss Gail Nicholls from Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. Leech, New Westminster, and Mrs. E. Jardine, Cloverdale, B.C.



### Golden Anniversary

Friday was a very important day for Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Stark of 4533 Cheesman Road. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a family gathering at their home. Mr. Stark has been a piano tuner in Victoria for the past 43 years. He started the trade at the age of 15, in 1896, and still enjoys playing the piano. Mr. and Mrs. Stark, married in Winnipeg in 1911, have six children: Herbert P. Stark and Ronald Stark of Victoria; David Stark, San Diego, Calif.; Mrs. Alan (Mary) Thompson, Mrs. A. (Beatrice) Kingdom, and Mrs. Allen Holman, all of Victoria. There are 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

### Clubs and Societies

**PRIMROSE** will be held Tuesday, Feb. 14, Primrose Lodge, No. 32, at 7:45 p.m. at the Veterans Daughters of England, will Hospital. An illustrated talk hold a valentine Tea at the on the University of Washington of Mrs. V. Holmes, 1963 ton, D.C., will be given follow. St. Ann Street on Tuesday, ing the business meeting, Feb. 14 at 2 p.m.

**VICTORIA RN** Meeting of the Purple Star Greater Victoria District of Lodge 104 LOBA, will be held, Feb. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Orange Hall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Maynard leave the following their marriage. — (Ryan Church of St. George the Martyr Bros. photo.)

## Couple Motor South For Honeymoon Trip

Vases of red carnations and white chrysanthemums were on the high altar and candles were placed on each side of the sanctuary in the Church of St. George the Martyr for the wedding on Saturday afternoon of Miss Nancy-Jane Dawson and Mr. William Anthony Maynard. Rev. William Hills officiated at the ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Muir Dawson, Doncaster Drive, and the son of Mr. W. M. Maynard, Chandler Avenue. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her gown of lustrous white silk. The molded bodice had a scooped neckline enhanced with hand cut silk flowers and seed pearls. The tiny waistline was accentuated by the dipped bodice and the skirt flowed into a chapel-length train. Etchings of silk adorned the front of the skirt and outlined the hem. A patterned veil misted from a sparkling crown of rhinestones and pearls and she carried a bouquet of garnet roses and freesias.

Miss Patricia Greenlaw was maid of honor and Miss Diane Berry, bridesmaid. They wore identical knee-length dresses of American Beauty silk velvet styled with fitted bodices, scooped necklines and flaring skirts. They carried sprays of white feathered carnations to match their bandeaux.

Mr. John Mahood was best man and Mr. Gerald Stinson and Mr. Wayne Budynski showed guests to the pews.

The reception was held at the Old Charming Inn where the room was decorated with white chrysanthemums and the bride's table was centred with a three tiered cake embedded in white tulle sprinkled with red rosebuds. Mr. J. McAllister of Vancouver proposed the bride's table.

The newlyweds will spend their honeymoon motoring south. The bride travelled in a blue grey fitted suit of wool worsted, cherry red beret and accessories in black patent leather. Her corsage was of garnet roses.

### SILVER THREADS

Regular meeting of the Silver Threads Volunteer Corps will be held Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 7:30 at 643 Broughton St. Mrs. E. Mills, Canadian Association of Consumers will speak on "Objectives and Achievement."

### ESQUIMALT WI

Esquimalt Women's Institute will hold the Adelaide Hoodless Tea at the home of Mrs. A. Hopwood, 635 John Street, Thursday, Feb. 16 at 2 p.m.

## Dewolfe-Gillespie Vows in Cathedral

Friday evening in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Rev. D. Johnson heard the wedding vows of Miss Roberta Anne Gillespie and Mr. Douglas Dewolfe in a small, informal ceremony before the main altar.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gillespie, 2830 Bridge Street, was given in marriage by her father. Her gown was of white taffeta and lace and her veil a misting of white illusion and lace caught to a dainty headress of rhinestones and pearls. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Maid of honor was Miss Sandra Fell, cousin of the bride, and junior bridesmaid, Miss Irene Dewolfe, sister of the groom. Miss Fell wore a pink lace dress and carried pink carnations, while Miss Dewolfe Victoria.

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The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick House, St. John's, Nfld., was given in marriage by Mr. Ernest Sexton. She wore a dress styled with bodice of white nylon lace over taffeta and full nylon organza ballerina skirt over taffeta. A crown of lace and pearls held her shoulder-length veil and she carried a cascade of red roses and heather.

Miss Betty Adams, bridesmaid, wore a dress of turquoise silk organza over taffeta fashioned with scoop neckline and hat to match. Her bouquet was of pink and mauve roses.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chard, 404 Lampson Street, had Mr. Donald Stenton as best man and Mr. Barry Stenton and Mr. Robert Jones, cousins, as ushers.

Following a reception at Club Sirocco the couple left to spend a honeymoon in Seattle. The bride travelled in a willow green two-piece suit with

### HISTORICAL

Members of the Victoria Branch of the B.C. Historical Association have been invited by the Victoria and District Archaeological Club to hear Professor Charles E. Borden, lecturer in archaeology at the University of British Columbia, speak on "Recent Archaeological Findings in B.C.—the Earliest Evidence of Man in Western Canada" on Friday, Feb. 17 at 8 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Douglas Building.

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## Symphony Valentine Ball

This week will be a busy one for members of the women's committee to the Victoria Symphony Society making final arrangements for the Valentine ball to be held at the Empress Hotel on Friday evening, Feb. 17.

Mrs. R. Nickells, right, is convener of the ball this year, which will be cabaret style.

Pictured left are Mrs. J. W. Cantelon, left, who is in charge of ticket sales; Mrs. L. Peterson, reservations convener, and Mrs. P. P. Lovric.

Changes are to be made in the menu this year and lower left sees Mrs. D. A. Camp, left, and Mrs. John Olson discussing the changes with Empress Hotel master chef, Mr. E. Dreher.

Mrs. G. A. Neely, co-convener of the ball, and Mrs. R. Rogers, committee treasurer, are looking after special decorations which will include sparkling musical notes set in laurel leaves.

Mr. Hans Gruber, Symphony Orchestra conductor, and Mrs. Gruber will be among the many giving parties on Friday before going on to the ball. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Abbott, Dr. and Mrs. John Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nation, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Roy, Mr. and Mrs. M. Harris and A. Goutiere.

Mrs. Arthur Laundry is president of the women's committee.



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## Your Problems

By Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: Twelve years of marriage ended tonight. The other woman won.

I'm not feeling sorry for myself or making excuses. Apparently I didn't have what it takes to keep my husband home nights. For two years I pretended not to see what was going on right under my nose. I've failed as a wife but I don't want to fail as a mother. Please tell me how I explain to a 10-year-old boy and a seven-

year-old girl that their Daddy has taken his clothes and moved out of the house? These past two years the children haven't seen much of their Dad evenings or weekends. He took his summer vacation alone. I always told them he had to work hard for us. They believed me. Now what do I say? —MRS. W.

Dear Mrs. W.: It's your husband's responsibility to tell the children why he moved out of the house. He left—you didn't. Ask him if he can spare an hour next Sunday afternoon to explain to his children why he is living elsewhere. If he doesn't like the idea you have no alternative but to tell them in your own way (without bitterness) that their father has decided he would be happier if he lived elsewhere.

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Dear Ann Landers: My wife's sister thinks she can paint. We are having a terrible problem over her Christmas gift.

This sister-in-law did an oil painting of my wife. If you ask me it's an insult, not a portrait.

My wife says it's impressionistic but I don't think this is any excuse. The features are exaggerated and out of proportion and it's downright grotesque. To make matters worse my sister-in-law had it framed and surprised us by hanging it on our living room wall—right over the fireplace. She put a big hole in the wall so we can't remove the picture unless we call the plasterers in.

My wife isn't very crazy about the picture but she says we have to learn to live with it or we'll hurt her sister's feelings. What is your verdict? —EYE SORE.

Dear Eye Sore: Keep the picture up for a few months—then call in the plasterers. Replace the portrait with one of your own choice and have the gift in a less conspicuous place for another few months—before retiring it to the attic.

Dear Ann Landers: We have a telephone with an extension cord upstairs. When the telephone company installed these phones they put a plate on each phone which bears the telephone number.

My dear wife took a screw driver and pried off the number plates. Don't ask me why because she doesn't need a reason to do anything.

I say the telephone belongs to the phone company and she has no right to deface them. Can they prosecute her for destroying their property? —H.E.

Dear H. E.: Your wife has not destroyed the telephones. She simply removed the number plate.

I checked with Illinois Bell and was told that the company has no objections to the practice. Some people do not wish their phone number known so they remove it from sight.

## Wedding In Naden Chapel

A pretty wedding was solemnized in Naden Chapel when Miss Sue Ellen Whistler, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Whistler of Kimberley, became the bride of Mr. Robert G. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown of Shaunavon, Sask.

Padre D. Dalton officiated. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a dressmaker suit of Alice blue wool with stand-away neckline. Her hat was a cloche of white straw and flowers. She carried a spray bouquet of pink roses and white carnations.

Miss Lois Broadhurst, bridesmaid, chose a costume of pale mauve wool with accessories entone and wore a corsage of heather and mauve carnations. At a reception at the home of Mrs. William Young, 2527 Thompson Avenue, the bride's mother assisted in receiving guests in an ensemble of olive wool with straw cloche hat in paler green.

The young couple is now residing in Victoria.



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## Mrs. McMicking

## Pioneer Descendant Worked for Charity

By JAMES K. NESBITT

Mrs. Maude Ethel McMicking, 81, who died recently, was granddaughter of Victoria pioneers of 1863; and widow of a prominent city physician and surgeon, Dr. A. Edgar McMicking.

Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bone, landed in Esquimalt, from California, nearly a century ago. Her father, the late William H. Bone, who died in 1946, at 91, for long was one of the city's leading businessmen, a partner in the pioneer stationery firm of Hibben, Bone and Company, which built its own headquarters, a skyscraper of the times, now the Churchill Hotel on Government Street.

Mrs. McMicking, born here in August of 1879, was, at the turn of the century, a belle of Victoria, well known in music and church work. The Bone home was then on Topaz Avenue, and was a rendezvous for Victoria's young people. There were four Bone children—Maude, Lena, Genevieve and Frank.

The marriage of Maude Bone to the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMicking was a social event of June, 1908, as recorded in The Colonist: "One of the daintiest weddings of the season—at Centennial Church—the bride wore a most handsome gown of white chiffon trimmed with a hand-made lace over satin, with beautiful veil of real lace. The bride's sisters, Miss Lena and Miss Genevieve Bone, were brides-

maids—the groom was supported by Dr. George Hall. 'Beloved it is morn' was rendered by Mrs. Gideon Hicks in her own charming manner.

"After the ceremony the wedding party drove to 'Stonehenge,' the beautiful home of the bride's parents on Rockland Avenue, where a largely attended reception was held, both families of the contracting parties being old residents of Victoria, widely and favorably known."

For years Dr. and Mrs. McMicking lived at the northeast corner of Richardson and Linden. Mrs. McMicking was prominent in IODE circles and worked for both St. Joseph's and Royal Jubilee Hospitals. She was one of the best bridge players in Victoria, and until a few months ago played in championship games.

She leaves two sons, Leighton and Bruce, a daughter, Marianne, Mrs. George Powell, and seven grandchildren, all of Victoria. She lived latterly with her sister, Mrs. Genevieve Gard, who returned to Victoria after being in Seattle more than 40 years.

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## Latest News of Former Victorian— Novelist Joy De Weese Wehen

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Miss Joy De Weese Wehen, who attended St. Christopher's School and then Norfolk House, now lives in Sausalito, from where news of her third novel comes. "Stranger at Golden Hill," described as a "Romantic detective thriller," was published recently by Duell, Sloan and Pearce.

The novel has woven into it the Debutante Cotillion, and an opening night at the San Francisco Opera, the lovely wine country of Sonoma and Napa Counties and old Spanish days in California.

The attractive young writer, whose picture, with that of her mother, appears in the clippings, lives with her parents in Sausalito, she founded the younger members group of the English Speaking Union, of which her mother is a charter member.

Miss Wehen's other books are set in England and Switzerland, and she is already doing research on her next, which will be set in Malta or Italy. Two of her novels have been selected by the Junior Literary Guild.

She was born in Penang, Malaya, and wrote recently of her Christmas there. The story appeared in the December issue of Diplomat Magazine, which is published in Washington, D.C.

ber- issue of Diplomat Magazine, which is published in Washington, D.C. The attractive author, who was presented at the Court of King George VI in Buckingham Palace in 1950, divides her time between the Bay area and London, with hops around other parts of the world, "when the spirit or literary muse moves her."

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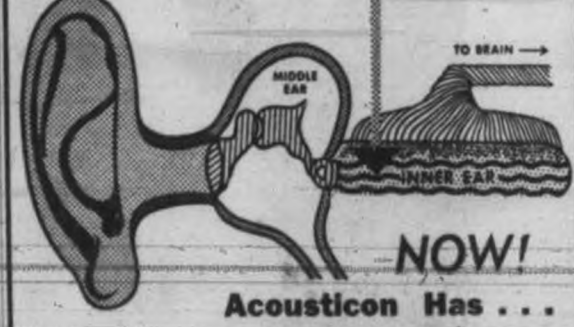


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# Kinsmen Hop to Pump Life Into Hospital 'Heart Room'

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Victoria Kinsmen Club's 23rd giant bingo in Memorial Arena March 20 will provide the city's first heart surgery room at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

"We hope to raise \$10,000 from the one night," bingo committee chairman Jack Phillips said last night. "With a matching grant from the provincial government this will pay the cost of building the special operating room and furnish it with specialized equipment."

To help Kinsmen raise the necessary amount, Royal Jubilee Hospital nurses and doctors and organizations which usually assist with the bingo nights have donated their help.

## SPECIAL BONUSES

"For the third time we are offering cash prizes with up to \$10,000 to be won," Mr. Phillips said. "In addition, there are three special bonuses."

The "heart's desire" bonus is similar to the mystery guest. The Kinsmen have arranged before. Advance ticket buyers can nominate a person anywhere in the world they would like to see and the mystery guest will be chosen by a straight draw.

## FLOWN TO CITY

Previous mystery guests were chosen on the basis of letters of application. The chosen person will be flown to Victoria March 19 and held in a secret location until the bingo session is underway.

Second bonus for persons who buy tickets between Feb. 16 and March 11 will be draw to give away ten \$10 bills.

Third bonus, open to all players, will be a special game arranged by Royal Jubilee nurses, offering a "treasure chest" filled with valuable prizes.

## DOCTORS' BAND

The Royal Jubilee doctors' band will play during the evening and nurses and doctors will help Kinsmen run the program. Nurses are preparing lap cards for patrons, to cut costs.

Success of the bingo night will bring the amount raised by Kinsmen bingo games for charity to more than \$100,000.

When a rough and rugged country like Canada is settled, cattle are the first form of agriculture. They make use of the feed which grows naturally, they are better able to protect themselves from predators than sheep and they can move to market on their own feet when roads are bad if they exist at all.

## PTA Activities

### Maritime Museum Story Feature Of James Bay Founders' Meeting

Lt. Cmdr. E. S. Cassels will speak on the B.C. Maritime Museum at a founders' day meeting of James Bay PTA to be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the South Park School.

Dr. Richard Monk, assistant professor of education at Victoria University, will speak on "Reading in the home" at a meeting of Oaklands PTA to be held at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the school auditorium.

A member of the Greater Victoria board of school trustees, David Logan, will speak



### Beaches First in Beaver-Elk Lake Plans

More sanding of beaches probably will be main work this year, according to city parks chairman Ald. M. H. Mooney, in continuing Victoria-Saanich development program at Beaver and Elk Lakes.

shown in this aerial photograph with Saanich Peninsula stretching northward in background. Picture was taken by Colonist reporter Ted Harris from a Vancouver Island Helicopters Ltd. aircraft.

### School Gifts Grave Crime

HEREFORD, England (UPI)—Police said yesterday an 11-year-old girl who delighted her teacher by bringing flowers to school every day actually stole the bouquets from graves in the local cemetery.

### 'Scottish' Leader Dies in Vancouver

Lt. Col. R. G. L. Parker, a wartime commander of 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) died in Vancouver Thursday. He was 62.

Born in England, May 11, 1898, he came to Canada as a youth and settled at Parksville. At 17 he enlisted, serving overseas with the CEF during the First World War. On his return he taught at Collegiate School here and later moved to Duncan Grammar School.

He served overseas with the Canadian Scottish during the Second World War, taking

### Not 'Stealing' Jobs

### Labor Exonerates The Immigrants

By FRANK DREA

A Canadian labor survey has absolved heavy immigration of the blame of the serious wave of unemployment.

"It is perfectly evident that the contribution—if any—of migration to the present and recent unemployment problem is negligible," states Labor Research, monthly publication of the Canadian Labor Council.

The study states that immigration will not be a major factor in Canada's employment picture in the next five years.

The monthly bulletin, supervised by Dr. Eugene Forsey, CLC research director, notes that immigration "cannot have played a major part in our present difficulties."

Although the official labor position on immigration is neutral, some unions, particularly in the craft field, regard open immigration as a threat to employment.

The CLC position: "We are not opposed to immigration as such. But we take exception to the inflow of immigrants at times when Canadian workers are having difficulty in finding employment."

However, the labor economist's review of immigration, from 1946 to 1959, points out that the net addition to the work force in 15 years of immigration has been only 800,000.

More than 1,102,000 immigrants entered the work force but an estimated 437,000 Canadians left for jobs in the U.S. or Europe.

"When immigration was low in relation to the labor force, unemployment was high," the report states. "When immigration was high, unemployment was low."

This, according to the report, suggests that high immigration does not necessarily mean high unemployment.

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### Have Pets Join Fast Of Family

LONDON (Reuters)—William Cardinal Godfrey, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster, yesterday proposed a family day of fasting to include household pets.

A letter to all Catholic churches in Britain said the money saved by fasting should be offered to "the hungry and starving."

The archbishop suggested that on Friday, Feb. 24, all members of the family, along with their dogs, cats and other pets, should contribute to a "family fast day."

A plump and pampered pet might run all the more gaily after a reduced diet on simpler fare," the letter says.

### Genetically Inferior?

### Problem Families Pass Troubles On

TORONTO (CP)—The role of social services for multi-problem families will be studied from a survey done in Vancouver, Joseph Lacey, research director for the project, said here Saturday.

At the closing midwinter conference session of the Canadian funds and councils division of the Canadian Welfare Council, he said no answers are available yet to the problem.

Poverty was no explanation for the multi-problem family. He questioned whether such people are genetically inferior or limited in intelligence, whether the wives and mothers suffer from chronic depression and the husbands and fathers from aggression.

Another possibility was that techniques and theories of welfare groups were inadequate. Social services were crisis-oriented and there was no continuity of treatment.

### EMOTIONAL MATURITY

Prof. J. Spencer of the school of social work, University of Toronto, said the problem is swinging from recognizing the multi-problem family as a problem of genetics and intel-



DOUGLAS JUNG

### MMystery Deepens

NEW YORK (UPI)—The mystery surrounding the illness of actress Marilyn Monroe deepened Saturday when it was disclosed she had moved out of one hospital, checked into another and received as her only visitor her second ex-husband, former baseball star Joe Di Maggio.

### Two Shirts

A shoplifter was sentenced to two months in jail in city police court yesterday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing two shirts valued at \$5.75.

His record for similar offences dates back to 1924, court was told.

Charles A. Bland, no fixed address, stole the shirts from F. W. Woolworth Co. Ltd. on Douglas Street Friday afternoon.

### Flee from Laundromat

### Thieves Miss \$25

Thieves departed in haste in a Friday night burglary at a Belmont and Haultain laundromat, leaving behind about \$25 in change.

Between \$25 and \$30 was taken from the building's 10 coin machines. About a dollar 24-hour service.

A number of earlier thefts had prompted the management to lock up at midnight instead of providing regular coin machines.

When immigration was low in relation to the labor force, unemployment was high," the report states. "When immigration was high, unemployment was low."

This, according to the report, suggests that high immigration does not necessarily mean high unemployment.

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### Rands Take Over

### Decimal Day Tuesday In South Africa

PRETORIA (Reuters)—Tuesday is D-day in South Africa. The D stands for decimal.

South Africa switches that day from a monetary system based on the pound sterling to a decimal system based on a new unit—the rand.

The rand, which will be divided into 100 cents, will be worth 10 shillings in both English and South African currency (\$1.40), half the value of the present pound.

### BOTH ACCEPTED

Banks will open for business Tuesday with a stock of 40,000,000 coins and notes to exchange for old money. But the complete changeover is expected to take 15 to 20 months. During the changeover, both currencies will be accepted.

### TECHNICAL ARMY

Armies of technicians are adapting accounting machines, cash registers, gas pumps and other machines throughout South Africa.

The government is paying \$6,500,000 (\$18,200,000) in compensation to owners of obsolete machines.

### COMIC BOOK

One of the government's main problems has been preparing the country's 15,000,000 residents for the change. The revised monetary system has been taught in the schools, publicized in a million posters in English, Afrikaans and Bantu, and explained in a 22-page comic book and over the government broadcasting system.

### Drugs, Ambulance In Medical Plan

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Manitoba Medical Service says it plans to extend its insurance coverage to include drugs, private nursing care and ambulance service.

Executive director John McMaster said the plan will be presented to the public this summer. The MMS now offers coverage for doctors' services and for some subscribers semi-private hospital care.

The organization is a non-profit group sponsored by Manitoba doctors.

### MP Tells Students

### Spiritual Cultivation Overlooked by West

MONTREAL (CP)—Douglas Jung, Progressive Conservative Member of Parliament for Vancouver Centre, says the people of the West have overlooked "the development and cultivation of certain spiritual values."

Speaking at a students' seminar at McGill University, Mr. Jung said the ancient Chinese emphasis on philosophy was more important than materialism.

Today, however, the countries in the Far East, with

marked exceptions, are striving desperately to develop an economy which has a very materialistic basis," he said.

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## Garden Notes

## One Display Only

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRHS  
(H.L.W., Victoria). I doubt very much whether it would be worthwhile saving the bulbs of your Chinese sacred lilies or Joss flowers after blooming, for the unnatural conditions in which they are growing—in a bowl of pebbles and water—takes so much out of them that they are seldom good for a second display.

The plant is not a true lily at all, but a narcissus—actually narcissus tazetta orientalis—and there is only one very small section of the world where the bulbs are grown commercially. This is a group of nine or 10 small villages south of Changchow, in Red China. The villagers grow them on to flowering size, which takes about three years from offsets, then export the bulbs through Hong Kong to all parts of the world.

I grew mine this year in a bowl of damp Perlite rather than in pebbles and I have never had better flowers—their fragrance was a sheer delight over the Christmas holidays. I threw out the bulbs after the flowers were finished, but your letter has started me thinking. They aren't supposed to be hardy outdoors here, but why not plant out your bulbs in a well-drained, sunny spot and see what happens? You have nothing to lose if it doesn't work.

**RAISIN MOTHS**—(G.L.R., Brentwood). It must have been an unpleasant experience to have the

raisins on your pantry shelf start hatching out a swarm of little moths, but I don't think you need fear, they will get into your rugs and woolen clothing—that is a different kind of moth.

The moth from your wormy raisins is a pest of the California grape vineyards—raisins are actually dried grapes—and it will most likely die out of its own accord for lack of its natural food. The critter isn't even distantly related to the clothes moth.

**ONION SETS**—(J.T.S., Saseenon). It is quite possible to grow your own onion sets from seed and I suggest the variety Ebenezer for this purpose. Seeds are sown about 10 times as thickly as normal, in late March or early April. Scatter the seeds in a shallow, flat-bottomed trench, about a foot wide and two inches deep, and cover with not more than a quarter-inch of fine soil. The ground must be very clean and free from weeds.

The tops should begin to turn yellow in August and, when they are more yellow than green, the sets may be pulled up and dried thoroughly in the sun until tops and roots crumble away when rubbed. It is very important to store onion sets in warmth through the winter, preferably around 70 degrees, for if they are allowed to become chilled, they will run up to seed when planted out the following year instead of making big bulbs.

**SUNLESS STRIP**—(G.McD., Victoria). I am not surprised that vegetables did poorly in the narrow strip around the side of your house where the sun reaches for only two or three hours a day. This isn't enough for any vegetables except those which are grown for their leaves, such as lettuce, cress and even these would perform much better with more sunshine.

It wouldn't be any good trying gladiolus in your sunless strip either, for these plants like lots of sun. However, if you enriched the soil by digging in some very old manure or rotted leaves, you could grow pansies, violas, Carpathian bellflower, forget-me-nots or tuberous begonias. While these plants really prefer a shifting pattern of sunshine and shade such as you would find in an open forest glade, they are remarkably tolerant of straight shade as long as there is plenty of light from the open sky. I don't know of any plant that will thrive in really dense shade.

Some other shade-tolerant plants are lily-of-the-valley, day lily and bleeding heart.

**CYLINDRICAL BEET**—(S.C.L., Duncan). The English slicing beet Housewives' Choice, with a shape like a chubby salami sausage, is available this year from a few Canadian seedsmen under the name Dark Red Cylinder. I understand the seeds are in short supply, so you had better get your order in early.

## Wry Shelley Berman

## Good Year's Pay

## \$750,000 Worth of Laughs

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—People pay for laughs. In 1961 Shelley Berman will gross about \$750,000—several times President Kennedy's take-home pay—by being funny.

A very few years ago Shelley and his wife, Sarah, a former actress, hitch-hiked together across the continent looking for work.

Today Berman is one of the darlings of the sophisticates. He has been paid \$15,400 for a

one-night stand. He has earned \$12,500 for a seven-minute appearance on television.

It all wound up with Berman being one of the highest-paid comedy performers of his generation. He re-pioneered the field of recorded humor with three discs, each of which brought in \$1,000,000.

Before he hit the big time with his wry parodies of civilized man adjusting to the wry problems of civilization, Shelley worked as a cab driver, a speech teacher, a drug clerk,

a ballroom dancing instructor and a free-lance writer.

What has success meant to him after a dozen years of failure which he still remembers as "the junk time"?

"There are a lot of superficial differences," he said. "You eat better and you wear better clothes, but the big difference is that I now have a wholesome self-respect."

"I floundered for a long time and envied people around me who had found what they wanted to do and were content."

"And now I am. Well, anyway I am more content with my discontent. I am doing something."

Berman is one of the hottest attractions in the U.S. night club circuit. Shelley's humor is based on the ordinary man's plight in this extraordinary time. He jokes about taking an airplane flight, beatniks, the problems of parenthood.

His only props in his "concert" appearances are a high stool, a pack of cigarettes and a lighter.

## Hollywood Today

## By Sheila Graham

## Steiger Too Busy for Trip

HOLLYWOOD (NANA)—Rod Steiger has so many picture deals pending that he may not be able to go to London with wife Claire Bloom when she opens there April 17 in her play with Laurence Harvey, "Lower Wines." The most likely project on Steiger's film schedule, he told me, is "The Life of Einstein," which will be done as a two-part TV show for this country and released as an hour-long film abroad.

Sir Alec Guinness is one of the very few actors to be elected to the venerable Athenaeum Club in London. Other members include Sir Winston Churchill and the Archbishop of Canterbury, which gives you the idea.

The reason behind Sophia Loren's request for an annulment of her marriage to producer Carlo Ponti is that he has bought a studio near Rome, must spend time there, and can't work with the fear of being arrested on a bigamy charge.

Director Henry King, lunching at the Beverly Brown Derby, is leaving for Europe to find locations for the movie version of F. Scott Fitzgerald's "Tender Is the Night." The two top stars are definitely set—Jennifer Jones and Jason Robards Jr.

Now that Natalie Wood has recovered from the virus that hit her on arrival back from New York, she can attend to the ceiling in her bedroom. It collapsed while she and husband Robert Wagner were away. This new house is their pride and joy, especially the bedroom, which is about a city block big.

I had to smile upon reading the news that Jack Lemmon was official for the lead with Shirley MacLaine in "Irma la Douce." With Shirley in the movie instead of Elizabeth Taylor, I hope there will be some songs and dances, as in the play.

Milton Berle learned from the sad experience of the late Paul Douglas, who starred on stage in "A Hole in the Head" but was bypassed in favor of Frank Sinatra when the movie was made. Uncle Milton will only star in "The Nose of Jerry Pepper" on Broadway.

Anne Bancroft, star of "The Miracle Worker," took her small nephew to his first movie the other matinee. Soon after the picture started, the film broke and the screen went blank. "I know what's coming now," the boy whispered, "the commercial."

## \$110,000,000 a Year

## Skouras Planning Greek Hollywood

ATHENS (Reuters)—Spyros Skouras, the Greek-born American film magnate, promises to turn Athens into a "Mediterranean Hollywood" with a \$110,000,000-a-year film industry.

Film-making is already giving Athenians a thrill as Sparta, inspired by the famous battle of Thermopylae, and "The King Must Die," from the novel based on the legend of Theseus and the minotaur.

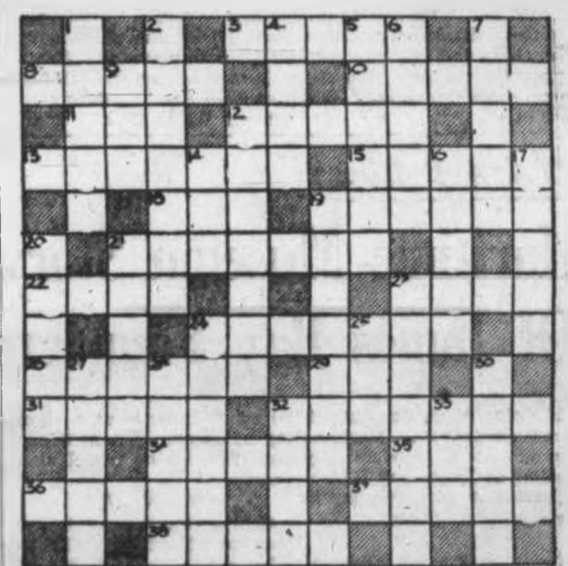
And when the industry really gets under way, says Skouras, many thousands of Greeks will find regular employment in it at wages comparable with those paid in the United States.

Skouras, president of 20th Century-Fox productions, came to Athens to attend the shooting of scenes in his company's film "It Happened in Athens" and to make preparations for two more films he proposes to make in Greece: "The Lion of Sparta," inspired by the famous battle of Thermopylae, and "The King Must Die," from the novel based on the legend of Theseus and the minotaur.

He intends to build extensive studios in Athens with stages large enough to obviate the need to shoot indoor scenes of major productions abroad.

Answer in Tuesday's Colonist

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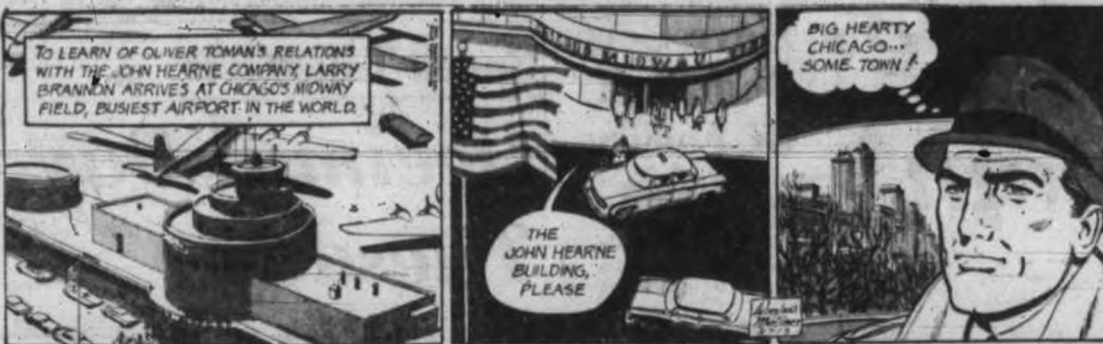
## CLUES ACROSS

3. Construct
8. Go swimming when he goes to bat (Split word)
10. An eighth king of England
11. Got to it, sailor!
12. Fruity color (Double clue)
13. Hot spot for Tennessee Williams' cat (2 words) (Hidden clue)
15. Man of marches
18. Relatives
19. Places for railroad sleepers
21. He's a foreigner
22. Try to get it if the cops are after you
23. When you can easily get divorced in the forenoon (Hidden word)
24. Fit a new exterior and get better (Double clue)
26. Place for a man of conviction
29. Sleep in snappy palamas (Hidden word)
31. Watered some of those daffodils (Hidden word)
32. Mean to be negative indeed (Split word)
34. Discharge a debt
35. Not an honest thing to do
36. The king of the Niger (Anagram)
37. Is far from being a cellar
38. Possibly three may send you to sleep (Anagram)

## CLUES DOWN

1. It may hold water
2. Jack the boxer
4. Hidden danger when you shorten sail (Double clue)
5. Selected
6. Number or voice (Split word)
7. You get this off when abruptly dismissed
9. Somewhat intense number (Hidden word)
12. Lengthy study for a jockey (Split word)
14. Crude source of wealth (Double clue)
16. Say something with a bit of a stutter (Hidden word)
17. Name a storekeeper starts with (Hidden word)
18. Only Abe could produce such nonsense (Anagram)
21. He's in the general phone book (Hidden word)
21. When I have a kind of singer around, there's a foundation (Split word)
23. Gives the facts of the explosions (Double clue)
24. It likes a nibble
25. Vehicle in front of a name (Double clue)
27. Judicial dress
28. He may be bought by a tailor (Double clue)
30. It's not to your credit
32. Made to be a woman (Anagram)
33. Child as part of a totem pole (Hidden word)

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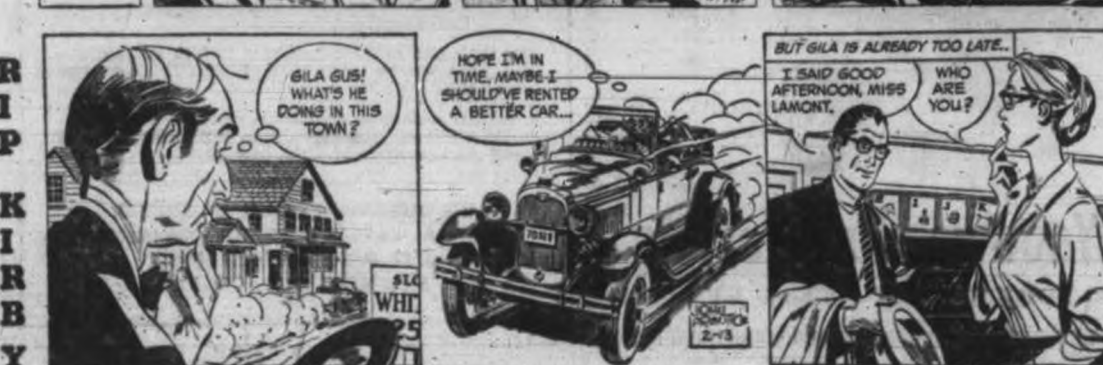
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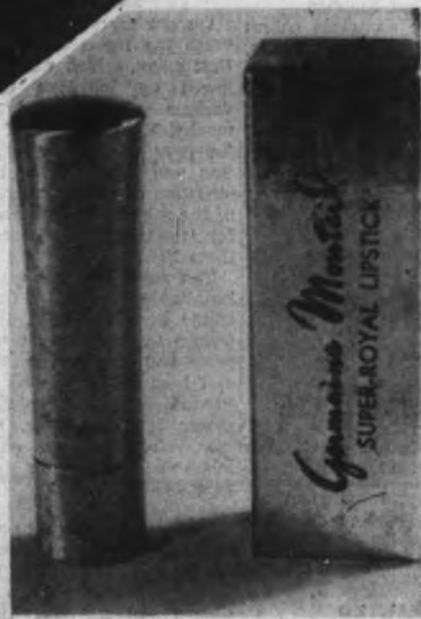
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## Father Dives In But Son Drowns

NANAIMO (CP)—A four-year-old boy died Saturday when he fell into the tumbling rapids of the Mill Stream.

Doctors said Colin Roderick McIsaac died of injuries. The child's father Ron Mc-

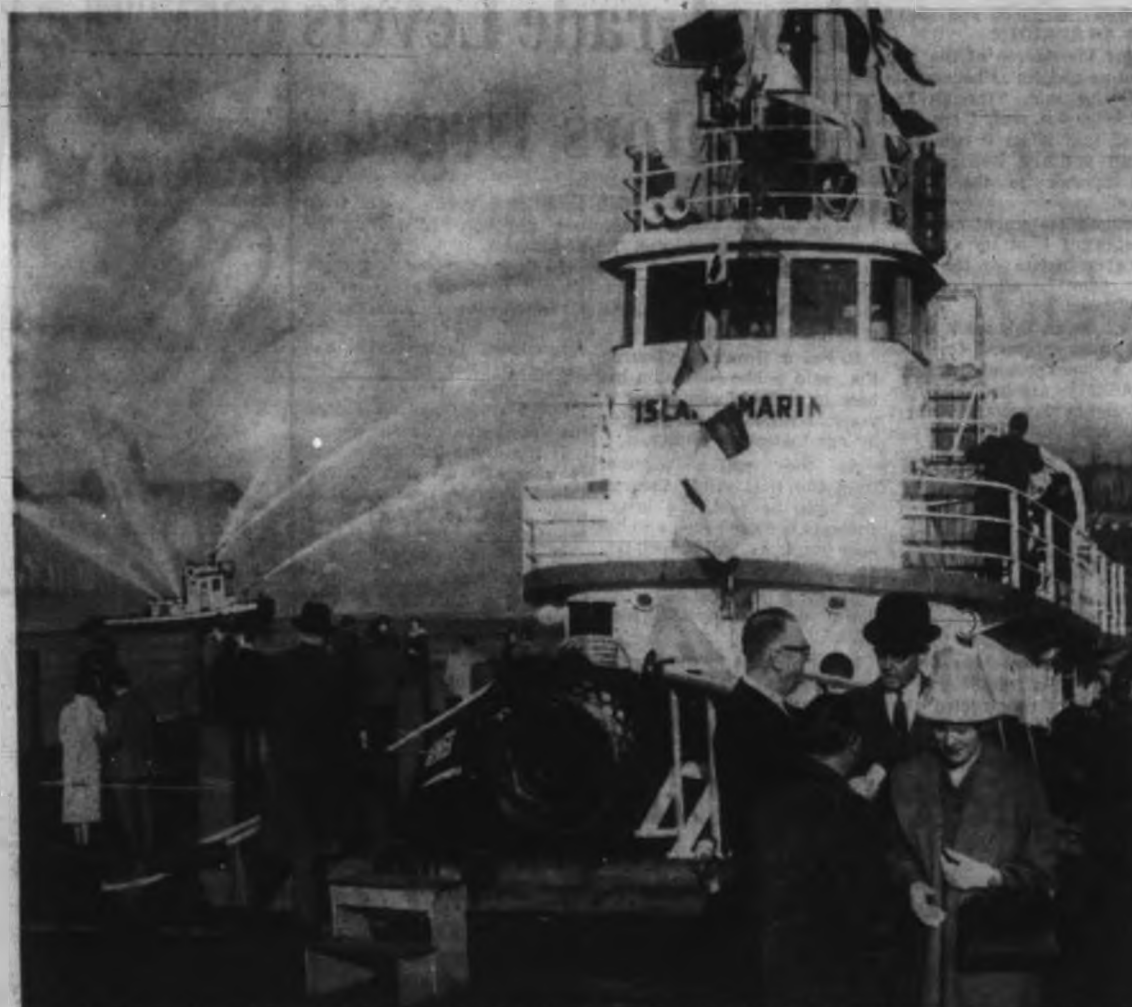
Isaac, a Nanaimo lawyer, and another man, identified as Robert Golding, plunged in, hoping to save the child.

Both men were later taken to hospital, suffering from cuts and bruises. The body was recovered.

## 'Dangerous' Quake Recorded

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—An earthquake described as "potentially dangerous" was recorded Saturday at the California Institute of Technology. It was reported as 5,500 miles southwest of Pasadena, in the South Pacific.

# SHIFT IN ASSESSMENTS 'ADDS TO HOME BURDEN'



## Russia Stays Angry

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Union Saturday night rejected France's explanation of the shooting down of a flight of President Leonid Brezhnev over the Mediterranean and insisted on punishment of the French fliers responsible.

"The unprecedented attack is nothing but an act of international banditry committed by the French air force," said a foreign ministry statement made public by the news agency Tass. "To whitewash such actions and to exculpate the guilty is a risky undertaking."

France has promised a full investigation of the incident, which occurred when a French jet fighter intercepted an Ilyushin 18 plane carrying Brezhnev to Morocco on an African tour and fired bullets across its nose.

French officials in Algiers have claimed the Soviet aircraft failed to follow proper flight procedure.



President Kennedy, Vice-President Johnson  
... talks with K soon

## Reeve Raps Socreds

By IAN STREET

Premier Bennett is pulling a fast one on property owners and municipalities in the government's proposal for a new basis of property assessments, Reeve George Chatterton charged last night.

"I don't know whether it's intentional or not, but the government is trying to speak one in," the reeve said. He said when new property assessments come in 1962 Saanich will be paying some \$78,000 of what is now the provincial government's share of school costs.

The situation could go from bad to worse, from the point of view of the taxpayer, if property values continue to rise as expected in the next few years, he said.

### 60-65 PER CENT

Property owners can look forward to a 60 to 65 per cent jump in assessments on land when the new system comes next year, said Mr. Chatterton. Unless the government revises the present basis for school cost-sharing by which municipalities are required to pay a basic 12 mills in addition to sharing debt charges and paying other non-shareable education costs, mainly teacher salaries, this will mean a greater load on municipal taxpayers, the reeve said.

### MORE PRACTICAL

"Here is the catch," said Mr. Chatterton. "The new system is more practical. It's easier to establish 50 per cent of current market values than to fix the present 60 per cent of what the property was worth five years ago."

"Unless the basic 12-mill education levy on municipalities is reduced to 10 or 11 mills to make up for the inequality, the municipalities' share will be greatly increased."

The reeve added that so far the government had given no indication this "logical step" of reducing the basic levy would be carried out.

"The Union of B.C. Municipalities has been fighting for years to establish at least a trend towards lightening the load of school costs carried on the backs of property-owners. This is an entirely opposite trend that will make this already crushing burden heavier," he said.

**OVERNIGHT**  
A "side effect" of the new property assessment pattern will be the fact that owners of certain types of waterfront property may see their assessments doubled virtually overnight, because they will be tied to current land values which have skyrocketed in the past five years and promise to go higher," said Mr. Chatterton.

Reeve George Murdoch of Oak Bay said close study of the new government assessment proposals may show it "is not as bad as it looks at first."

Both he and Acting Mayor Arthur Dowell said they would discuss the matter fully with their respective officials before making a detailed comment.

"It does look on the face of it that instead of bringing relief to municipal taxpayers it will mean an additional penalty," said Mr. Dowell.

## Mercy Shown To Stepmother

UCLUELET — A pregnant woman convicted of beating her stepdaughter into unconsciousness received a lesson in compassion in police court here yesterday.

Mrs. Margaret Hill, 24, Long Beach, was sentenced to three months in jail and warned by Magistrate Joseph Webb that her sentence could have been two years.

"The fact that you are now four months pregnant has caused me to exercise more leniency than I would otherwise have done because I

would not want your baby born in prison," the magistrate said.

Life of the accused woman's stepdaughter, Leslie Hill, hung in the balance for 12 days after she was admitted to hospital Jan. 9 suffering critical head injuries following a series of punishments.

A Royal Jubilee Hospital spokesman said yesterday it is too early to tell whether she will have a permanent impairment. The girl has not regained complete control of the right side of her body but she is listed in satisfactory condition.

Mrs. Margaret Hill's two-year-old stepson Larry is now in custody of the social welfare branch in a foster home.

**GRANDPARENTS**  
An 18-month-old son, Linden August, is being cared for by grandparents at the Ahousat Indian Reserve about 50 miles north of Tofino.

Before passing sentence, the magistrate commended the attending physician for reporting the assault to police.

He said the court will not tolerate mistreatment of children.

"It is common knowledge that there are numerous similar incidents, although perhaps not as serious as the one we have here, which are never made known to the authorities," he said.

"Parents and step-parents must realize that unnecessary abuse upon defenceless children will not be condoned."

Other factors involved in Mrs. Hill's plight, prison sentence, he said, were the fact it was her first offense and that evidence of good character was given on her behalf.

Evidence which led to Mrs. Hill's conviction Feb. 4 indicated the injured child had been slapped repeatedly, forced to sit naked in a bucket of cold water for 10 minutes and lifted by her hair after allegedly falling from a chair onto the floor. She remained in a coma for several days afterward.

**TOO MUCH FORCE**  
Magistrate Webb told Mrs. Hill: "I find you used more force than necessary, considering the age of the child. The spanking, if that is what you had in mind, could well have been administered to that part of the child's anatomy whereon children are normally spanked."

Unconscious and suffering concussion and other injuries is the driver of a car registered in the name of a sailor from HMCS Naden.

Police refused to release the man's name pending notification of next-of-kin.

## Car Rolls Near Duncan Victim from Victoria?

DUNCAN — A man believed to be from Victoria was in fair condition in hospital early today after a car he was driving smashed through a guard rail and rolled over at a railway overpass north of here late last night.

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## New Member Of Family

Latest addition to Island Tag and Barge fleet is new Island Mariner, above, a few seconds after her christening yesterday afternoon at the company dock. Champagne was crashed against bow by wife of Don Elworthy, a vice-president of ITB, who was saved from drowning in 1947 by original Mariner whose crew picked him from sea. (Colonist photo.)

## DON'T MISS

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## Kennedy Charts New Red Policy

By JOHN M. RIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Kennedy talked for two hours Saturday with a panel of key advisers on U.S.-Soviet policy. He got a first-hand report from Ambassador Llewellyn Thompson on Thompson's recent confidential conference with Soviet Premier Khrushchev.

Vice-President Lyndon B. Johnson, Secretary of State Dean Rusk and an imposing array of top echelon experts on the Soviet Union attended the White House session. It was called to chart what Kennedy hopes will be a more effective policy for dealing with cold war issues in the H-bomb age.

It is now expected that Kennedy and Khrushchev probably will meet for an informal get-acquainted session in a little more than two months.

**PRESIDENT'S AIM**  
The president's purpose for such a get-together would be two-fold:

1. To make an initial exploration at the summit level—but not in a summit conference—of Khrushchev's purposes in the present phase of his policy toward the U.S., to find out whether east-west agreements are possible, especially in the field of disarmament.

2. To impress upon Khrushchev in the most emphatic manner that the U.S. is deeply concerned over the persistent failure of peace efforts in the Congo and Laos.

It was learned that this was only the first of a series of conferences which Thompson is scheduled to take part in with administrative officials during his Washington stay. When he goes back he is expected to take a personal message from Kennedy to Khrushchev.

## Kennedy May Address Ottawa Joint Session

OTTAWA—President Kennedy may address a joint session of the House of Commons and Senate before the present session of Parliament ends in midsummer, the Colonist bureau here learned last night.

An invitation to visit Ottawa will be extended by Prime Minister Diefenbaker when he confers with the president in Washington Feb. 20.

## UN Freed Lumumba Katanga Jailers Hint

ELISABETHVILLE (AP)—The Katanga government hinted Saturday that UN soldiers were involved in the disappearance of Patrice Lumumba and announced new clues in the hunt for the Congo's deposed premier.

Hoping to allay widespread suspicion that the story of Lumumba's escape from Katanga was a cover-up for a plot to assassinate him, the government issued a communique denying the escape was "manufactured."

The government announced discovery of a rifle and sub-machine gun under a stone near the spot where Lumumba's supposed getaway car was abandoned. After that the hunt came to a dead end.

But a commission of inquiry hinted that Mobutu UN troops ordered guards to release Lumumba early Friday.

Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld had not yet produced a report on what happened to Lumumba. Council will debate the issue Monday.

**Secret Talk  
Rejected  
—UN Waits**

## Jobless Losing Leaders—to Jobs

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son Street, when it opened its doors for business Jan. 30 but soon found himself forced to give up the key jobless position. Reason: he got a job at Victoria Machinery Depot.

His successor, Bill Donnelly, scarcely fared better in terms of length of service. He now

is back working as a carpenter on a construction job.

Now the centre is being manned by John Aubrey, who is filling in on a temporary basis until a permanent replacement is found.

Council chairman Ald. A. W. Toome said yesterday "one man just got into the swing of

things" at the downtown centre when he got his job back and had to be replaced. That meant a new man starting all over again.

Despite these minor difficulties, however, he added, the centre has helped many people who otherwise might have gone without.







## Expert Fisherman Protests

# Indians' Spears Ruin Cowichan



Spearfishing has nearly ruined the Cowichan River for sportsmen, says L. A. Rattray who fished the river for 40 years and then gave up 10 years ago because he did not like the bait being used and the depletion of fish in the river. (Colonist photo by Charles Thompson.)

## 'A Ghost Of What It Was'

DUNCAN — The blame for making the Cowichan River "a ghost of what it was" has largely been laid at the doorstep of Indians by an expert fisherman.

"It was once one of the most attractive rivers and now it is one of the worst," said Major L. A. Rattray who started fishing the river in 1910 and lived beside it. "I gave up and finally sold my place (at Riverbottom)."

### NO SUCCESS

For many years he unsuccessfully attempted to get the government to take care of the river.

The former fishing pal of conservationist Roderick Haig-Brown said: "I think the river would come back if they destroyed the vermin that kill the trout and salmon fry and took care of the spawning beds."

### NO WORMS

"I believe the Indians ruined the river. All spearing and jigging should stop. I don't think even worms should be used."

"Roe (salmon eggs) are a poacher's device. There is no sport in it. A man who uses that stuff doesn't want sport, he wants fish."

### PAST JOKE

"Personally, I stopped fishing 10 years ago. It was getting to the stage where it was past a joke."

During the 40 years he fished Major Rattray said he was able only to get minor support from the department of fisheries.

### BLEEDING FISH

"Many years ago I complained to the chief (fisheries officer). I said the Indians are ruining the early (September) run spearing. I said for several miles downriver from my home there were literally dozens of fish that had bled to death because the spears had mislaid them but injured the gills."

"Nothing was done. It meant nothing to him."

The answer, in Major Rattray's opinion, is in making sure the run gets up the river and seeing that the six spawning beds are not harmed.

### DESTROY BEDS

He said: "If you want trout you must have open and closed seasons. And spring salmon must be protected from dog salmon that, coming up to spawn later, destroy the beds where the springs have laid their eggs."

"All obstacles in the river should be removed, too. Log jams and deadfalls, and no one should be able to drop a tree near the river. Hawks and eagles must be destroyed, too. They take a lot."

But the river is not beyond saving.

Like gold mine

"It would be treated in Scotland like the gold mine it is. Right now it is a ghost of what it was."

Steps to save the fish for natural spawning, he believes, is the best method.

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## Get a Horse!

Premier Bennett's gasoline tax increase should increase the popularity of horses, hopes Taffy, owned by Gary Lock, 14, of Chemainus. Added cost might turn vacationing motorists to other pursuits, such as horseback riding. — (Colonist photo by Charles Thompson.)

## Around the Island

# Few Happy in Nanaimo Over Gasoline Tax Boost

NANAIMO (CP) — Mixed feelings, mostly against, greeted the government's budget announcement of a three-cent increase in the gasoline tax.

"It'll encourage more people to buy small cars," said Chamber of Commerce president Lionel Huxtable Saturday.

Vic Dixon, president of the Nanaimo branch of the B.C. Automotive Retailers' Association, declined comment until his group holds its next meeting.

John Riley, plant manager of an oil company, said the tax on a gallon is now about 30 per cent of the wholesale price. This is considered one of the highest taxes in the province.

LAKE COWICHAN — Chip truck driver R. J. Dysart, Duncan, was fined \$20 yesterday for following a car too closely before an accident.

He pleaded innocent and said that he applied his brakes but because the road was wet he could not slow down as the car turned left in front of his truck at Youbou Jan. 7.

Police stated the car was 30 feet behind the car.

Also in court, Barry Michael McKittrick, of Victoria, was fined \$30 when he pleaded guilty to a charge of careless driving after an accident here Dec. 23.

DUNCAN — An active church worker and resident of Lake Cowichan for 41 years, Mrs. Dorothy Winnifred Scholey, 72, will be buried here Monday. She died Friday.

Mrs. Scholey was born in Darlington, England, and came here in 1919.

She was a member of the Order of the Edmon Star and St. Aidan's Church at the Lake.

Surviving are her husband.

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## Brother Admits Match Play

# Fire Chief's Child Snatched From Blazing Car Seat

DUNCAN — A volunteer fire chief's baby was snatched from a burning crib as four-inch high flames burned inches from its feet.

The baby, six-month-old Larry Vye, was saved from serious injury by Dick Nimmo, a logger from Saltair, who saw the smoke and heard the baby's cries in the car parked on Station Street.

A brother, Stephan, 5, who was also sitting in the back seat, admitted to police and his mother that he was playing with matches. Another brother, Jimmy, 7, was in the front seat.

"It is the first time I've ever left them alone in the car for

a second," said the crying mother, Mrs. Gordon Vye of Crofton.

Burned matches were found on the car floor in the back. It is believed the boy found them in a purse that he found under the back seat.

"I was only in the store a short while. I didn't know the pulse was there," said Mrs. Vye.

A hole six inches in diameter was burned through the thin, wooden slats of the portable crib. A coverlet of plastic was ruined and blankets slightly charred.

Mr. Nimmo saved the baby and then put out the fire with help of passers-by. The children were taken to a nearby store until the mother returned.

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## How to Beat New Tax On Gasoline

By TED HARRIS

For an hour yesterday I parked my 225-horsepower status symbol and took a trial spin in the answer to Premier Bennett's new three-cent-a-gallon impost on gasoline.

For what I will pay in a year in increased gasoline tax this little bucket will travel 9,000 miles.

**BAGS OF ROOM**

Has it got lots of leg-room? Well I'll just say it's got lots of legroom — you can stick your legs out a block in front

From TCA

## Air-Run Protest Unlikely

Trans-Canada Air Lines is unlikely to oppose a Seattle firm's application for permission to operate a non-scheduled, charter service between Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver.

Sea-Tac Airways Inc. has applied to the Air Transport Board for licences covering use of both airplanes and helicopters on the service.

"I shouldn't think we would protest," a Victoria spokesman for TCA said last night. "Not on charter flights, and in view of the fact that we have no helicopter service."

## Dungaree-Clad Priest Collects for Homeless

A Catholic priest wearing an Indian sweater and dungarees rode through Saanich in a borrowed and battered half-ton truck yesterday helping to round up household items for the destitute West Saanich Indian Reserve family of Sammy Sam.

Mr. Sam's family of 10 was left homeless Friday morning when fire swept through their small four-room home at 1270 Stelly's Crossroad, destroying all their furniture and clothing.

As donations started pouring in yesterday to help them back on their feet, Father William Mudge of the Catholic Indian Mission on West Saanich Road spent all day rounding them up.

He was assisted by David Bartleman of the Indian reserve, who was driving a truck owned by the rectory.

The Indian family, which is staying with relatives until temporary quarters can be found, still needs a wood-coal range or stove, blankets, pillows, shoes, food, cooking utensils, dishes, knives, forks and spoons.

Contributed yesterday were eight beds, mattresses, kitchen and dining room tables, 20

chairs, a sofa and easy chair, a fair amount of clothing, a little food and a few toys for the children.

One of yesterday's donors was Mrs. George F. Stelly, of 943 Fullerton, the last surviving member of the Stelly family after whom Stelly's Crossroad was named.

The Salvation Army said a truck will be sent to pick up donations if contributors telephone EV 6-3295.

## 'Left Bank' Artists Fit into Big Picture

A plan to allow artists to transform Victoria's harbor into a scene from Paris' Left Bank has been heartily endorsed by the area's top planner.

Brahm Wiseman, planning director of the Capital Region Planning Board, said yesterday "the idea would fit into a scheme which we are now preparing for the Capital Improvement District Commission on long-term improvements."

Victoria Society of Artists is trying to get official sanc-

tion for local artists to set up their easels and do paintings on the Causeway.

They also want to exhibit paintings there during the tourist season to add atmosphere and encourage the sale of contemporary works of art.

"I think it's in the right place and I hope there's no obstacle to their going ahead," said Mr. Wiseman.

The report to the CIDC, he said, will be devoted "particularly to increased opportunity for pedestrians to enjoy the Inner Harbor."

St. Vincent de Paul Society yesterday said donations can be left at their store at 728 Johnson Street between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday and Tuesday.

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"That part of Port Street is a black blob after dark, dreary and drab, with a few lights, it could be bright and beautiful, a very definite, and unique attraction," Mr. Nesbitt said.

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## Historian Calls It Shocking

# City Spurns Own History To Ride Seattle's Coattails

## Sponging Attitude Assailed

"The shocking unconcern at City Hall" for Victoria's 100th birthday next year was deplored by James K. Nesbitt, president of the Craigdarroch Castle Preservation Society, when he spoke to Victoria branch, Canadian Authors Association.

"There are practically no plans, except a military tattoo, for a very important event in Victoria's life," Mr. Nesbitt said.

**TOO LATE**

"It is almost too late now to put on a real show. We should now be advertising this event all across this continent."

"Instead of planning to suitably mark this highlight in our history, City Hall seems more interested in Seattle's fair next year—trying to get people here after they have visited that fair."

**SORT OF SPONGING**

"This is sort of sponging on someone else, isn't it?"

"What we need is some imagination and some initiative and drive, some leadership at City Hall. It is too much to hope, of course, that the surrounding municipalities would be interested in the city's birthday, they being sort of foreign territory."

"They would like the city to put on the party and foot the bills, and then they could sponge on the city."

**LETHARGY, B.C.**

Where history is concerned, Mr. Nesbitt said, Greater Victoria shows "an appalling lethargy."

He cited the excellent maritime museum at Esquimalt, which, he said, is having a struggle to keep going, danger of foundering entirely, or being moved to Vancouver.

"Our merchants are hungry for tourists, yet most of them do nothing to help such tourist attractions," he said.

**RED TAPE**

"The city and the surrounding municipalities find legal red tape which they say forbids them to contribute to museums and historic sites."

"Many Victoria merchants not only refuse to contribute, but they actually ignore letters asking them for help — they throw such letters into the wastebaskets, without even replying, adding rudeness to niggardliness. There are some exceptions, of course, but not many."

**NINE FINE FIRES**

Mr. Nesbitt said that of dozens of letters which The Castle Society sent to business firms asking for \$25 sustaining memberships, only nine had contributed.

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## Elworthy:

# Keep Oak Bay Free of Traps

Oak Bay should remain safe haven in the stormy sea of radar speed traps that is rapidly engulfing all of British Columbia, Coun. Gordon Elworthy said yesterday.

He disagreed with the stand taken by Reeve George Murdoch and the police commission that radar devices were essential to catch speeders in the municipality.

## Pendray Rite Set Tuesday

Funeral services for the late John Carl Pendray will be held in Metropolitan United Church at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

The former mayor of Victoria died in La Jolla, Calif., Thursday.

Rev. Dr. F. E. H. James will conduct services in the church and at the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

## Conservationists Meet Monday

Victoria Conservation Council will hold a meeting at 8 p.m. Monday in the Art Gallery. It is hoped that delegates from other organizations will attend and the public is welcome.

## 'Silver Chord' Slated Friday

A play entitled "The Silver Chord" will be put on by Peninsula Players at 8 p.m. Friday at Royal Oak High School. Proceeds will go to PTA scholarships.

Earlier, Reeve Murdoch announced the police commission had recommended Oak Bay obtain a radar speed trap of the type now being successfully used in Saanich. He didn't believe there would be any argument about the need for some better means of catching speeders in the municipality, he said.

**PUBLIC ARGUMENT**

Last night the reeve declined to comment on Coun. Elworthy's statements, saying he didn't wish to get into a public argument on the matter.

## Friends Honor Chatterton

Friends and fellow employees from Vancouver and the length of Vancouver Island attended a dinner last night in honor of Saanich Reeve George Chatterton, recently retired from post of regional administrator of the Veterans Land Act after 15 years' service. Here he shakes hands with George Burrell, a likely successor, while guests throw around him.—(Colonist photo.)

## \$50,000 Damage

# HMCS Skeena Fire Guts Radio Room

Fire aboard HMCS Skeena gutted a radio room and caused damage unofficially estimated at \$50,000 at 7.30 yesterday morning.

Only official account of the blaze was a terse naval statement reporting a radio room fire in the ship, now in HMC Dockyard for repairs, during which a quantity of ammunition was moved to a safer place.

There were no official answers to questions concerning suspected cause of the blaze, extent of damage, and whether or not the fire would prolong the ship's stay in the dockyard.

"The question of sabotage hasn't even been mentioned," a naval spokesman said, adding that an inquiry will be held into "every possible angle of the fire."

A ship inquiry was started on the spot but had reported no progress by last night. The spokesman added: "Some 125 members of the ship's company were aboard at the time of the blaze."

## Dr. Newton To Speak

Dr. William Newton, former director of plant biology at the Dominion Experimental Station in Saanichton, will speak to Prospect Lake and District Community Association on "The influence of biology, past, present and future," at Prospect Lake School, West Saanich Road, tomorrow at 7.30 p.m.

He appealed for meals, vegetables and cash donations.

Persons with donations can call her at GE 4-1758.

# Would Highest Court Give Fair Hearing to Gaglardi?

## Peter Bruton's Capital Notebook

**THE ENEMY WITHIN:** We paused the other day for a chat with a cabinet minister of our acquaintance and not unnaturally the subject got around to the tumult and the shouting about Highways Minister Phil Gaglardi.

Why, we asked, don't the minister simply go to the Supreme Court of Canada and ask for a ruling one way or the other, as to whether he had the right to take his seat in the legislature in view of the contempt of court conviction?

The answer was rather shocking.

"Himph!" snorted the cabinet minister. "He's a Social Creditor, and you know who appoints the judges. Do you think he would get a fair hearing?"

Yes, sir, I do.

**SPECIAL ATTRACTION:** Travelling salesmen friends of mine report that many motels on the Island treat them as if they were doing a great favor by providing accommo-

dation no matter what time of the year they are in the area.

That's why they're particularly impressed by the special service provided salesmen by Jack Beveridge of the Cottonwood Court at Courtenay.

Salesmen are even invited to bring their wives free of charge anytime.

"It's such a nice change for a salesman to be able to get away with his wife that it's a pleasure to have them," Mr. Beveridge told a friend of ours.

**WITH WAITING:** You can bet a bundle that there will be some spirited crossfire in the legislature when Vote 40 in the agriculture department estimates comes up for discussion in a few weeks' time.

Maybe it's only a coincidence

that this year the opposition is much greater in numbers than last year but suppose the government is nearly doubling its expenditure on "pest control."

**SLIM CHANCE:** Unless Premier Bennett takes one of his famous "second looks" there would appear little chance that the government will operate fast ferries on the Seattle-Victoria route during the Century 21 Exposition in Seattle next year.

The suggestion has been brought up by chamber of commerce officials following the announcement of the construction of a fourth ferry in the budget.

But without wishing to brag, this column has con-

stantly taken the subject-up with Premier Bennett during the past three months.

His answer:

There is no need for the government ferries to go on this run because the CPR has undertaken to maintain its Victoria-Seattle service next year.

**LOCAL INDUSTRY:** When Saanich Reeve George Chatterton gets to Ottawa as Equinault-Saenich's new MP—and an increasing number of people expect he will—one of the items he intends taking up is the question of federal airplane repair jobs for the Fairley Aviation plant at the Patricia Bay airport.

A vast majority of the regular overhaul and maintenance work on federal planes operating in this area are sent to the prairie plants.

If some of the work could be funnelled through here it would lead to a substantial boost to the local employment picture and the economy of the area.



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# The Islander

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"Goong Hay Fah Choy" little Sabrena Joe is saying. For this is the eve of Chinese New Year when people greet one another with a wish for prosperity. Sabrena, four, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jon Joe, 1921 Quadra.

## COMRADES OF THE LEGION

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By GRAY CAMPBELL



## YOUNGSTERS ON THE NATURE TRAILS

By A. H. MURPHY

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## CECIL CLARK ADVENTURE

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Forged in the Heat of Battle

# LEGION COMRADESHIP WILL NEVER DIE

By Gray Campbell

*There's a lively bunch of lads and lasses in the Canadian Legion at Sidney who have a right to be proud of their recent efforts. And if their friend, the lieutenant-governor, himself set the date to open their new hall at a busy time in his social calendar, perhaps it is significant.*

The story of the Canadian Legion in the first 35 years of its life has just been published. And Her Majesty has seen fit to honor the work of this organization by adding "Royal" to its title. But sometimes even war veterans are hazy about many facts of the Legion's work, just what it does to earn the recognition of leaders in all walks of life for its services to the community.

The men who started it built well and the big story has been told competently. What happened in the Sidney area shows what can happen when people get together and stick together, cherishing the comradeship that reached its peak during man's greatest moments of stress, in the crucible of war.

One of the few good things to come out of war is this comradeship which never seems to reach such heights at any other time in the lives of men. Only those who have been through war can fully understand, but it helps if one can follow a typical group.

Still active as a member of the Saanich Peninsula Branch No. 37, Royal Canadian Legion, Alan Calvert of Sidney, 75, watches with pride the enthusiastic work of younger comrades like Ken Herrington, Roy Tuttle, Bill Stewart, Charlie Erickson and the great-hearted gals of the Ladies' Auxiliary, such as Mrs. Philip Brethour, 25 years active as a charter member; Dorothy Pearson and Mrs. Ken Herrington. As he stands behind them with the same old comradesly enthusiasm, Calvert remembers how it all started. Which is a very good thing, for he is the only original still active.

**THIS MAN** from Leeds, who served in two wars, recalls how early in 1925 he was asked to attend a gathering of veterans at the Royal Victoria Theatre. Colonel Cy Peck VC, was in the chair and Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig addressed the gathering about the amalgamation of the many organizations the vets had set up after 1918. The great work of Haig gathered momentum across the country and in Winnipeg during November of that year the Canadian Legion was born.

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MEMBERS of the executive of the Legion, from left to right, front row, Charlie Erickson, Roy Tuttle, John Garton, Ken Herrington, Frank Edlington; back row, Truman Green, Robert McCutcheon, Frank Nunn, Bill Stewart. — Photos by Dana Campbell.



ALAN CALVERT . . . one of the Old Guard, and in the background the new Legion Hall.

Four months later a meeting was called at Matthews Hall in Sidney, now known as St. Andrew's. There was a good turnout of boys. They listened as Lieut.-Gen. Sir Percy Lake outlined the aims for preserving their wonderful comradeship, to help a nation inexperienced in dealings with war disabled to correct inequalities and deficiencies, to maintain a strong body that would take an interest in national affairs and the interests of the veterans.

The boys liked what they heard and decided to act immediately. That night they formed the North Saanich Branch. Colonel Cy Peck stood up to nominate for their first president ex-Corporal Alan Calvert, Red Chevron, veteran who had joined the 50th Regiment, Gordon Highlanders, in November of 1914 and had served in France almost four years. First vice-president was Captain J. G. Corry Wood, with Captain Nat Gray second vice president and

Ned MacAulay secretary. All but Calvert have passed on.

**OF THE ORIGINALS** still alive Jack Gilman is up at Duncan. Colonel William H. Beison resides at Rughaven Rest Home and Arthur R. Layard is an active member of the branch on Salt Spring Island.

They had a healthy membership which soon rose to and maintained itself at 30 to 40. But they didn't have any money. Occasionally they would meet in Matthew's Hall but they had to pay rent. Jack Gilman had a barbershop on Second Street and most of the time they met in the back room.

Alan Calvert remembers they had a nice time at the monthly meetings. First it was business, looking after veterans' interests, strengthening their organization. Then they had a social meeting with coffee and sandwiches. There was no bar and very little money but they kept the flame of comradeship alight in spite of the

drafts of adversity from many directions.

In the two years that Alan Calvert was president the young organization tottered on shaky legs and precariously maintained its balance. But it never once looked back. Membership kept up. Stuart Stoddart, DCM, joined within a year. Boer War veterans like Major W. Garrard, now living in Victoria, and Jack Tindell, now in Edmonton, Alberta, added the prestige of their names.

When Alan's term was up Corry Wood became president and Nat Gray followed. They moved to the Orange Hall at Saanichton and remained there until the end of the Second World War.

**THE BUILDING** on Mill Road where they are today has quite a history. Originally a small part of it was the old North Saanich School. After the 1939-45 war and many additions, it was the property of the North Saanich Service.

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## Freeman King Leads a Growing Band



SOME OF THE YOUNG enthusiasts at Francis Park outing.

# YOUNGSTERS SEE NATURE WITH VETERAN AS GUIDE

*If you see a tall, craggy character leading a group of chattering children through the outlands of Victoria some Saturday afternoon, be assured that he is not the Pied Piper.*

*The big boots which pause as their owner examines something by the trail and the "beat-up" blue beret which often bobs in answer to a youngster's query, belongs to Freeman King, naturalist, youth-worker and "outstanding citizen."*

By A. H. MURPHY

"Skipper" is out in the country once more with his small band of faithful lieutenants and big band of wide-eyed kids, many of whom are getting their first look at the wonders of nature—and after a few Saturdays of indoctrination, they begin to realize that nature really is something to wonder at.

The Junior Natural History Group, an outgrowth of the Victoria Natural History Society, to wrap the package up formally, has grown, in three years, from a band of six to one of more than 80.

Like an amoeba, the group has divided and redivided and with each separation it has, of course, been necessary to train another leader to take over the new subdivision and act as a sounding board for the many questions hurled his way.

The basic purpose behind these "Nature Rambles" is, simply, to teach the children to see what they are looking at—to examine and study rather than pass quickly over, to seek pattern, purpose and the relation and dependency of each of the parts to the whole.

Balance soon becomes apparent

to the child—the balance which man disturbs—and out of this naturally develops not only a nature-lover but a conservationist.

In this day of pillage and nature-looting, of befouling streams and slashing timber, all in the sacred name of progress, conservationists should be encouraged.

**DO THE CHILDREN learn anything?**

Ask their parents. Specimens are brought home—insects, grubs, sea creatures, leaves and some strange things barely recognizable. Their interest stimulated by days in the woods, the youngsters want to know all about their precious finds and it is often up to the parent to supply answers. Out come encyclopedias and reference books and many a father finds his own interest in such esoteric lore sparked by the search.

Collections many of them extensive and well documented are

built up and periodically a show is held at the provincial museum to evaluate them. Dr. Clifford Carl and other museum people have been kind in this respect and to them the group and its leaders owe a lot.

Some of the specimens are not so edifying. One rambling group came across the body of an old person who had been missing for some time. On another expedition the remains of two dead deer—fawns—were found, graphic example of man's lust for indiscriminate killing.

The group leaders are a study in themselves. Hand-picked by "Skip" King and trained in special classes over the years, they are the exact antithesis of what many people have come to consider today's teen-agers.

**EACH HAS HIS speciality.** This boy, a "rockhound," has a better

than elementary knowledge of geology and this girl studies botany and can answer impatient queries from most of her charges. Another specializes in insects and still another in marine life.

Final authority and last court of appeal is "Skipper" King, although he is the first to admit that in some specialized subjects his knowledge is less than that of his lieutenants.

Parents have their jobs, too. Many of the administrative duties are handled by them and they provide transportation for the trips, some of which go as far afield as Sooke.

Freeman King has done a lot for Victoria and its children. He has, over the years, been prominent in half a dozen different fields, and in each, has turned in a solid accomplishment. He is no "do-gooder" but a person who genuinely enjoys helping other people—especially young people.

The junior group has been rewarding.

"It's better than anything else I have ever done," he says.

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# Everyone Knows About the Geishas . . . BUT

## WHAT of the NETSUKE?

### Another Art of Old Japan

*The Japanese are a people generally small in stature. They dwell upon small islands. Their train and bus seats, built for their own race, are a very tight squeeze indeed for the same number of western people. And their special crafts, in general, reflect their size. Their miniature gardens and dwarf trees are admittedly unexcelled anywhere. Artistry, for which they have small aptitude on a large scale, comes into its own in the tiny things . . . and an outstanding example of this is their "netsuke."*

I didn't know what it was, either!

Captain L. J. M. Gauvreau, RCN, (Ret.), of 1031 Fort Street, enlightened me. He has an outstandingly fine collection of netsuke — pronounced, approximately as it's spelled — and he not only discoursed extremely knowledgeably upon the subject, which is a specialized one, but also lent me a book on it — Japanese authored and profusely illustrated — which I have been studying with considerable interest and, occasionally, some amusement.

To explain, Oriental robes being made without pockets, the wearer perforce carried with him a container of some sort for money, tobacco, pills, or other small impediments. This takes the form of a pouch, or, particularly in the case of pills and medicine, a series of small round or oval boxes, usually of lacquer, which fit into each other in tiers. This is an "inro". Through these, from bottom to top, run cords to hold them together; and to keep them closed, a bead ("ofime"), is strung on the cords and fits tightly against the top of the inro. The cords then continue on for several inches, and finally wind up threaded through a little affair roughly the size of an egg, split lengthwise. This is fed through our man's girdle, so that the pouch, or inro, hangs at his side, and the egg, used as a button, curved side outward, holds it in place and becomes an ornament against the closely fitting sash. This is the "netsuke." And it is



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CAPT. GAUVREAU

the delicacy and exquisiteness of the carving wrought upon it which make it the collector's prize and fascinate even the most ignorant eye.

THE ARTISTS are perfectionists. They work in ivory, wood, metals, rhinoceros and buck horn, cinnabar, and dozens of other things, and their designs cover an infinite variety of subjects. The work is decorated with paints, dye and inlay. The designs themselves involve masks, human and mythical figures, animals, both natural and imaginary, birds, insects and reptiles; demons and gods, flowers, shells, vegetables and grain. And scores of these tiny sculptures illustrate popular legends and stories.

Captain Gauvreau picked up one of them, in ivory. It was little more than half the length of his thumb, and represented a double gourd, from the mouth of which issued, somewhat surprisingly, the front end of a horse. Its hair, its hooves, were perfect.

"This," he said, "is the only one of its kind I've ever seen. The story is that a man owned a magic gourd. When he went walking, if he became weary, he simply summoned the horse from the gourd and rode for awhile. And when he tired of that, he returned the animal to its container."

A brilliant way, I thought, of solving the parking problem . . .

THE WORKMANSHIP of these little pieces is incredible. An ivory one represents a priest catching an oil thief. His clutching

fingers show visible strain, and the eyes of the foiled villain blaze with rage! There is a strong vein of humor in much of the work — both in the subject matter, as in the portrayal of a demon trying to hide in a box and making obviously heavy weather of it — and in the facial expressions, a coolie with such a notably impish smile that I found myself wondering what on earth he could have been up to — and gotten away with!

There is an inch and a half house, made of bone, with the occupants looking from the windows. There is a tiny boatload of people. A beautifully carved snake coils upon a rock — and every scale is delineated. A wooden post sits at the foot of Fuji and contemplates the sacred mountain with rapt gaze. Wrestlers strive in tense and tiny personal war, their faces strained and taut. A woman trudges along, bent over, with a child upon her back — her face shows both weariness and resignation — and the child sleeps, with lolling head.

No wonder the Japanese have notoriously poor eyesight!

HERE, TOO, there is a pair of the high-platformed native sandals — but they aren't just shoes. Turn it over, and on the flat reverse side a fitted door comes away, leaving a cavity just big enough to hide, perhaps, a valuable jewel.

A quail sits on millet seed, and every feather and every seed is there.

A shell, with two much tinier ones beside it, rests in a box, and every convolution of the shell is clearly visible, while the box shows the grain of its wood and the nails which presume to hold it together, yet the entire little sculpture is one piece of material and is no more than an inch and a half in size.

Masks, of course, are a favorite subject. In the usual Oriental fashion these are frequently demonic and snarling, but there are also the benevolent, lucky gods. The netsuke may portray one single mask, two, or a group of any number up to 12, which last has six round, closely modelled faces to a side.

Captain Gauvreau, coming into possession of two lucky god mask netsuke, chubby and smiling, found on a later occasion the identical faces on a charming crystal statue of two figures, about five inches high, which he promptly, triumphantly, purchased.

Of the woods used for these fine small sculptures, the most popular seems to be box. Ebony, cherry, perisimmon are used as well, together with a beautiful but soft dark wood known as "hinoki." This last wears away, with the passage of time, but acquires in the process a lustre and a patina which more than make up for the ultimate loss of detail in the carving.

SOME OF THE WORK is quite incredible in its intricacy, and a magnifying glass is needed to appreciate it fully. One particularly cherished piece is a dark warrior, done in the wood, and mounted on a plunging "dog of war." The warrior's belt is metal inlay, the blazing eyes are the same, and the bright, ready sword is mother of pearl. The dog's eyes, too, are a white inlay, and imprisoned within the open jaws, carved there beyond five sharp teeth, a ball rolls loose.

These netsuke, I was told, with the movable parts, are among the most sought after.

On one woman's figure, the head nods. Tap the back of another with a gentle finger nail, and a tongue like the point of a pin shoots forth from the open mouth. Several of the animal figures have the movable ball in the jaws.

Another rarity in this form of art is one whose design deals with

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By  
VIVIANNE  
CHADWICK



## The Little Girls Are Planning

Eleven-year-old Gwenda Colnval and her eight-year-old sister, Susan, of 1176 Oscar Street, contribute a lot of time, energy, and affection to the tiny, furry species of animal with the dark, beady eyes, known as the golden hamster.

Three years ago they owned several. They bred them, sold them, and with the money, purchased two budgies. The birds were pretty, amusing, but the girls discovered they couldn't fondle them. They'd take them out of the cage to play, but the birds would nip. And Gwenda and Susan, discouraged, learned to leave them alone.

Then last summer the family began talking about the hamsters. The girls remembered how much fun they had been; how soft and cuddlesome, which was what they really wanted. Finally it was agreed; they would get some more.

And so three hamsters, six weeks old, became part of the household: one male, Sooty, and two females, Goldy and Shiner. They were nervous at first. Sooty, in particular, was frightened when picked up and squirmed and wriggled to be released. However the gentle handling of the little girls, and the constant care and attention soon had effect. Goldy and Shiner settled down and Sooty became as tame and cuddlesome as a puppy. Now, when his cage is opened and a hand extended, he readily goes to it and enjoys being lifted out for play.

Since then Goldy and Shiner have been busy, each producing her first litter: Goldy with 13 young, and Shiner, 11. Gwenda and Susan kept two females and two males from the lot and sold the rest, using the money for more cages for the four young hamsters.

Gwenda says it is better for the females to be left alone; anyway,

# HAMSTER FARM

Story of Pets by

ROSALIE HEYWOOD

they don't like to be handled when they are expecting young, or have a litter. They are pampered and taught tricks. Gwenda insists that Sooty can say "yes" and "no", by nodding and shaking his head; and also wave "good-bye." Susan is trying to teach Tiny, one of the young males, and says he already can nod his head, "yes."

"We're expecting more young soon," Gwenda says. "We'll keep some from every litter, and sell the rest for more cages and equipment."

"We'd like to have a real hamster farm," says Susan.

Both girls are pupils of Sir James Douglas school. Gwenda is in grade six and Susan in grade three.

They are kept very busy caring for their pets. The cages are cleaned once a week and the water changed every other day. There are trips taken to Goldstream Park where the girls collect moss. When it is dried it makes excellent nesting material.

"It's so soft and comfortable for the babies," says Gwenda. "When they're born, they're so naked, they surely can't be happy with anything rough."

The moss is changed when it becomes old and stale; not too often, though, for the hamsters don't like their nests disturbed. They try to follow their natural instincts as much as possible. For instance, when they are fed, they fill their pouches with the food,



GWENDA and SUSAN hold Sooty and Tiny.

then run off and try to hide it in some corner, behind their wheel, or underneath something.

They live outdoors during the summer but when the weather turns cool they tend to hibernate, so then their cages are brought indoors where they are warm and dry.

Every night they are fed a lettuce or cabbage leaf and a special hamster mix; and Gwenda has

listed a schedule of extra treats for them — her own idea. On Monday they have carrots; Tuesday, rolled oats; Wednesday, peanuts; Thursday, apple; Friday, cheese; Saturday, meat; and on Sunday, almonds. These treats add variety to their diet, while the thoughtfulness and consideration to ensure their complete contentment proves how much they are loved by their small owners.

## LEGION COMRADESHIP WILL NEVER DIE

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Club. They offered it to the Legion at a reasonable figure and the offer was accepted. When the war ended the branch decided to move to their new quarters. There'd be no rent to bug them.

New blood came in to swell the membership which today runs to about 180. Perhaps a quarter of them are veterans of the First War. But the community work, the aims and objects are still the same. It simply means that the long distance runners like Bert Wearmouth, Calvert, Allen, Barton, Deveson, Lang, Stoddart and Tindell have handed on the torch to the younger men, Comrades Truman Green, Charlie Erickson, Gordon Hulme, Sid Mattock, Bill Stewart, Roy Tuttle, John Curton, C. F. Nunn and so many others. Not to mention the ladies, bless 'em, who help with such quiet pride to bolster the old team spirit. It is so strong that nothing can stop them once they decide on a project.

THIS SPIRIT was most strikingly evident when they wanted a new hall. It meant a large in-

vestment, sacrifice of other interests, plenty of time and work from which they personally might not benefit. But they didn't stop for second thoughts.

Now they have something the district may be proud of, an acoustically perfect hall for plays, concerts, receptions, dances. Same time they decided to sell bonds to finance it they rolled up their



"This new bullet will penetrate two feet of wood, so remember to keep your heads down."

sleeves and began tearing down what they did not need. They proved the old adage that half the battle is getting a start. They had the building done by contract and as they became committed financially the boys had to hustle raising the capital. They did a complete job even to first-class kitchen facilities and their club-rooms are separate.

It will be a good many years before they can relax. They will often remember the old proverb, "If you want to dance you must pay the fiddler." But this organization did not cut its teeth and grow into the lusty infant it is today by stopping to assess all the risks. The boys are in this together just as in the days when they started with only an idea to preserve that comradeship of the trenches. They had started without a roof, with precious little money, with very little, in fact, but spirit. And which is, in fact, the most important?

That is probably why His Honor General G. R. Pearkes, VC, would overlook any other commitment to set January 13 as the date to

be with his comrades, to help them celebrate a job well done.

He was on familiar ground. For the comradeship of the Legion is a precious thing that carries along with a man through life. The lieutenant-governor has been an active member of this branch since shortly after its name was changed in 1912. And thereby hangs another tale.

Out in Summerside, P.E.I., the Legion Branch was named after G. R. Pearkes. And to honor this occasion they requested permission to make their patron a life member. Dominion Command had to clear it through the Saanich Peninsula Branch. Truman Green was president and who should be secretary but our old friend Alan Calvert. It was easily arranged and this life membership, paid for by Summerside, is in the Saanich Peninsula Branch. There is no such thing as dual membership in the Legion and B.C.'s lieutenant-governor belongs to the Sidney Branch.

Which means an old friend came home to help the comrades celebrate.



**Says Muriel Wilson:**

Today is a very special day . . . it is a five-candle birthday. Five years ago this month "Thought for Food" was born. If this is not excuse enough for a party let me remind you of St. Valentine's Day later this week.

Whether you are an old hand at giving a party or a new bride entertaining for the first time, you will want to show off just a little. You will want to put your best food forward. Food is the cornerstone of a party . . . be it a canasta party for the girls, father's poker pals or a birthday party for that growing-up little girl wearing her first high heels. The clever hostess evokes the best and the brightest in her guests by serving good food.

Whoever heard of a party without a cake? Especially a birthday party. For our birthday cake today we are going to bake a chiffon layer cake. Of course you can make an angel cake, chocolate, white or spice for a birthday . . . it will depend on the preference of the one whose birthday it is. Usually the preference is for the kind mother used to make. When we were children the layer cake was popular and I always seem to regard this as the ideal cake for a birthday.

The chiffon cake I have in mind is large, light and luscious. It can be baked in two or three layers or a large oblong 12½x8 inches. I baked one of these cakes yesterday in two layers. I used about two cups peach jam between the layers and frosted the top and sides with a fluffy white boiled icing. I built up the sides of the layer cake tins with foil as the cake rises well up above the top of the tins. If you follow directions exactly you can't help but have a beautiful cake . . . high, light and fine textured.

**Two-egg Chiffon Cake** . . . two eggs, separated, one and a half cups sugar, two and a quarter cups sifted cake flour, three teaspoons double-acting baking powder, one teaspoon salt, one-third cup salad oil, one cup milk and one and a half teaspoons vanilla. Preheat the oven to 350° F. Grease generously and dust with flour two layer cake tins (or oblong tin). Beat egg whites till frothy, gradually beat in one-half cup of the sugar, beat till you have a stiff, glossy meringue. Sift the remaining sugar, flour, baking powder and salt into a bowl. Add salad oil and half of the milk. Beat one minute, medium speed on mixer or one hundred vigorous strokes. Scrape sides and bottom of bowl constantly. Add remaining milk and the egg yolks. Beat one minute more, scraping the bowl constantly. Fold in the meringue by hand. Pour into prepared tins. Bake layers 10 to 30 minutes and 45 to 50 minutes if baked in one large pan. For cup cakes pour batter into 24 muffin pans lined with paper cups. This cake is put together a little differently but don't change the method. If you beat the egg whites first you do not need to wash the beaters to beat the other ingredients. Sometimes I use orange juice instead of milk and substitute grated orange rind for the vanilla. If this is mixed exactly as directed (and be sure to use cake flour, velvet or soft as silk) you can't help but have a lovely cake.

In magazine ads the cakes which make you drool are usually cakes covered with swirls of frosting. Fluffy boiled icing is such a one. My favorite recipe is made as follows: Boil together in a saucepan one-half cup white sugar, two tablespoons water (sometimes I use maraschino cherry juice), and one-quarter cup white corn syrup. Bring to a rolling boil then cook to 242° on a candy thermometer or to the soft ball stage. Have two egg whites whipped until they will hold a point and when the syrup is done pour it very slowly in a thin stream into the beaten whites. Continue to beat until the frosting will hold its shape. You really have to use an electric beater for

**For a Party**

# YOUR BEST FOOD FORWARD



Bright and gay as Valentine greetings is this salad. Unflavored gelatine is a basic ingredient, with tomato juice giving color and flavor.

this as it is almost impossible to keep beating while pouring in the syrup. Add the flavoring of your choice last.

**ANOTHER LAYER CAKE** suitable for a birthday cake or for a Valentine party is called raspberry cream torte. It is baked in three layers. It would fit right into the Valentine Day color scheme for the filling and topping are a lovely pink.

**Raspberry Cream Torte** . . . Two-thirds cup margarine or Crisco, one and three-quarters cup sugar, two eggs, one and a half teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt, one and a quarter cups milk and raspberry cream filling.

## THOUGHT for FOOD

Cream margarine and sugar. Add the eggs and vanilla, beat well. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt; add alternately with milk, mixing well after each addition. Pour into three wax paper-lined tins. Bake in a moderate 350° F for about 25 minutes. Cool. Spread raspberry cream filling between layers and on top.

**Raspberry Cream Filling** . . . Just whip cream very stiff and add raspberry jam. For a nice generous filling and topping for this three-layer cake you need about a cup and a half of whipping cream (before whipping), and half a cup of raspberry jam. No sugar is necessary as the jam makes the cream sweet enough. After cake is put together refrigerate until time to use.

Both of these birthday cakes would double for a St. Valentine's Day party cake. The boiled icing used for the chiffon cake can be tinted pink with a few drops of vegetable coloring or it could be trimmed with those tiny red candy hearts. The centre layer of the raspberry cream layer cake could be tinted pink . . . put the batter in two of the pans then add vegetable coloring to the batter that's

left. When you put them together put the tinted layer in the centre.

Having a theme with a color accent is fun when you are having a party . . . Valentine's Day provides a perfect opportunity for carrying out a color motif. Cranberry blossoms are a real party dessert with bright cranberry sherbet for the color accent. It is made up on individual plates and is gay and colorful as a flower. First make up your favorite recipe for lemon pie filling but use one-half cup less water than the recipe calls for. Chill. Fold into this one cup well drained crushed pineapple and one-half cup cream whipped until stiff. Now, on each plate place a square of angel food, sponge or butter cake. Take out some of the centre of the cake with a spoon to make a hollow. Fill with the fluffy filling then top with a spoonful of cranberry sherbet. You can use a hollowed-out cup cake if you wish. This has taste and looks . . . What more can one ask?

**THERE IS SOMETHING** gay and stimulating about the color red and a Valentine party gives us a chance to use. The scarlet of tomato juice can be used in several ways . . . spiced and served either hot or cold it can be glugged out of a carafe or pitcher into mugs or glasses. For hot spiced tomato juice I'd use sweet basil, bay leaf, onion salt, a whiff of garlic, a dash of tabasco, salt and accent. This is just seasoning suggestion . . . each should season to his own taste.

Tomato juice can be jellied and cut into heart shapes with a cookie cutter or molded in heart-shaped molds. A lovely Valentine aspic is made as follows: Two envelopes unflavored gelatine, three and a half cups tomato juice, half a teaspoon salt, one-quarter teaspoon celery salt, one teaspoon sugar, one-eighth teaspoon tabasco, two tablespoons lemon juice. Sprinkle the gelatine on top of one cup of the tomato juice in a saucepan to soften. Place over low heat, stirring constantly until gelatine is dissolved. Remove from heat, add remaining two and a half cups tomato juice, salt, celery salt, sugar, tabasco and lemon juice. Mix well then turn into a four-cup heart-shaped mold. Chill, then unmold and place on top of large heart (as in our illustration). I like to use the unflavored gelatine in this type of salad because it is colorless and tasteless . . . the true color and fresh flavor of the tomato juice will predominate.



"What some people will do to avoid leaving a tip!"



# Who'll Be My Valentine?

*"Last Friday was Valentine's Day, and the night before, I got five bay-leaves, and pinned four of them to the four corners of my pillow, and the fifth to the middle; and then, if I dreamt of my sweetheart, Betty said we should be married before the year was out."*

This delicate... series of essays... "Connoisseur,"... the years 1751-1752.

They were meeting in a private building who remains unidentified but who was referred to by the press as "a forward man." Forward also may have been in the line of the day and did supply some information on the espionage methods by which the invasion of the would secure a husband.

As a matter of fact, our men did not go thorough or, if pressed, somewhat through in a mass of hay before they got through.

"But to make it more comfortable, and to do so with disarming candor, I began to sing hymns, and took out the yolk, and moved it away, and when I went to bed, I lay down and fell off without speaking or drinking."

Oddly enough, this nausea is caused by a chemical called allyl isothiocyanate, with mustard substituted for garlic. It is called a "repellent" because it is used in agriculture, given to chickens to prevent them from eating their own eggs which is just another example of the intermixture of science and superstition.

But the forward miss is still uncertain.

"We also wrote our lovers' names upon bits of paper, and rolled them up in clay, and put them into water; and the first that rose up was to be our valentine."

**This worked wonderfully.**

"Would you think it proceeds the young lady. "Mr. Blossom was my man. I lay a bed and shut my eyes all the morning, till he came to our house; for I would not have seen another man before him for all the world."

It was a good thing for the narrator that Mr. Blossom did not elect to take a trip around the world. She would have stayed a-bed with her eyes shut for a long, long time.

ALLUSIONS to Valentine's Day and its attendant beliefs and customs are to be found in Shakespeare, Chaucer, Lydgate, Drayton and Donne. Basically, the notion was that the day exerted some influence which made a chance meeting quite binding. It was supposed, for example, that the first unmarried person of the opposite sex that one met on Valentine's Day was destined to be a soulmate for life. Thus, by ensuring that Mr. Blossom would be the first person she saw on the auspicious morning, the forward miss had him taped by two methods: because his name was the first to surface in its little roll of clay and because he was the first person she recognized on Valentine's morning.

There is no record as to the success of all these machinations but a good deal as to their prevalence. It was even quite freely accepted that birds selected their mates on February 14.

It appears, however, that as time rolled along, the Valentine's Day processes became

## Asked the Forward Miss

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My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and bachelors" from their names and the billets, each of which is a couplet in the verse. This, of course, means he is a person having two names, and the person the man "sticks" to is the one who has fallen to him from the mountain from which he is fallen." This also is a good justification could be made for the use of "feigned names," and the man has unwrapped your name and the name inscribed thereon, and you are whom you had landed.

And, indeed, for a good many years Valentine's Day has become what the medical term "a much degenerated" but too long ago it was still somewhat of a joke but it is surely quite a time that was taken seriously. Nevertheless, however lightly one regards the marriage divinatory formerly associated with it, there is evidence abroad that wedlock is entered into today on hoarse, fully as capricious. Perhaps there would be fewer divorces if intending suitors were to treat the selection of a mate as seriously as did the "forward miss" of so many years ago.

Departing from the purely secular aspects of the day, one encounters more difficulties. This is because there were several St. Valentine's and all of them rather obscure. Somewhere along the line pre-Christian customs became mixed in with Christian rites. Saints' names were substituted, for instance, in the place of girls' names on the "billets" alone time. This innovation didn't last but, at least, the religious element succeeded in having the name of the saint (or saints) permanently attached to the day. Easter, as an example of the very opposite, is a Christian festival with the name of a pagan deity, "Eostre".

It's all very confusing but the thought is inescapable that Valentine's Day in the time of Samuel Pepys or the "forward miss" could have been a lot more fun — and a great deal more exciting — than it is today.

**By BERT BINNY**



## ANAGRAM ANSWERS

- (1) IDOLMITE  
(2) ABROGANT  
(3) TRACTION  
(4) OVERHEAD  
(5) SONOROUS



*No Doubt a Crime Had Been Committed . . .*

*No Doubt the Chinese Were Guilty*

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*"Goong hay fah choy" is a New Year greeting that the "hong yin" — men of China — were exchanging before the days of the Greeks or Romans.*

*They'll be saying it again this coming week.*

*It means "Humbly wishing you a prosperous year." for Tuesday evening is New Year's eve; Wednesday sees the start of "The Year of the Ox", or 4658 on their calendar.*

It was this age-old greeting that was being exchanged on Vancouver's East Pender Street one morning in February, 1915, as a few blocks north, at Cornova and Main, veteran Police Magistrate C. J. South peered over his glasses to view 23 prisoners in the city police court.

All those arraigned at the bar of justice had something in common; they were all Chinese, and apart from looking alike in age, height and weight, something else linked them together. They had no names!

The subsequent developments marked one of the funniest chapters in Vancouver's courtroom history, a tribunal that has had its share of comical interludes in three-quarters of a century.

It's safe to say that few who witnessed the proceedings that morning realized the time-honored Chinese festive greeting was to have real meaning. Each of the 23, before the courtroom session ended was money in pocket.

I have a sneaking idea that the outcome was all the result of Chinese reasoning which, if it conveys a hint of immutability, also has the charm of being at times extremely rational. Once you get over some of the more obvious Alice-in-Wonderland characteristics — like reading books from back to front — you glimpse the fact that, more often than not, they're on the right track.

Take for instance the celebration next Tuesday night. What could be more rational than celebrating New Year's eve on the very threshold of spring? No chance of getting bored with the date, either; it moves around.

New Year's day is marked by the appearance of the first new moon after the sun enters Aquarius. How this was all figured out was explained to me a day or so ago by my good friend and Chinese mentor, Mr. Joe, a Herald Street businessman who also happens to be one of the city's top flight photographers.

According to Eric, when over-population forced the inland Chinese to seek life down the Yangtze River, those who reached the sea and became fishermen soon noticed that the rhythm of the tides was related to the moon, and the Chinese lunar calendar is suited. If you're wondering how the thousands of years piled up, it's simple. From the time of the semi-legendary Yellow Emperor Huan Ti (Whan Tee) to the birth of Christ is 2697 years. Add 1961 and you have it.

And if you're wondering why Huan Ti gets the nod (when there were two Emperors before him) it's because he was China's first big cultural influence, responsible, among other things, for writing, weights and measures, music the played the flute and he even designed traffic rules for wheeled vehicles.

His wife, by the way, started the silk industry.

**OTHER CURIOUS NOTIONS** in the Chinese calendar toss birthdays out the window. Chinese babies born a few weeks ago are, after Wednesday, two years old. You're one year old no matter what

time of the year you're born, and two as soon as the New Year dawns; which may be tough reckoning for girl babies, but think of the simplicity.

Tuesday night, then, will see our local Chinese community blossom with a variety of indications of the new year, including strips of red paper bearing the calligraphy that stands for the Four Blessings — "long life, children, love of virtue and a natural death" — a simple philosophy which, in some measure, explains why juvenile delinquency among Chinese is practically unknown.

This doesn't mean to say that there aren't delinquents — adults that is — which takes us back to the 23 lined up in the Vancouver police court. Lined up as the result of the bustling overnight efforts of Detectives Killeen and Denning.

Late the previous evening they had slipped down a Pender Street back alley to open an unlocked door giving access to a rickety flight of wooden stairs. On the landing above they found a secret sliding door which landed them in a passageway dividing two sets of rooms. One door bore the number 121. The opposite door was 123.

With a crash of woodwork the law entered both rooms simultaneously to find in them a total of 23 men engaged in the intricacies of a game known as fan tan.

It's an honest game — devotees rate it the world's most foolproof — requiring little more than a bowlful of buttons, beans or beads and a scooplike stick. The dealer, when the bets are made, picks up a handful of beans from the bowl, dumps them on the table, then with his little stick separates them into two piles, four at a time. Those around the table are betting on the number of beans ultimately left: 1, 2, 3 or 4. If the dealer in error draws away more — or less — than four, he pays everyone . . . double. Trouble, of course, with the performance interrupted by Killeen and his pal, someone took a rake-off; in other words, made a living out of the game. Which placed the operation in the illegal bracket.

You may argue that the B.C. government takes a 17 per cent rake-off from horse racing, but that's different!

**WITH THE SUDDEN** and noisy police entry and the ensuing hubbub, naturally there was some difficulty in taking names, and I imagine Killeen and his partner merely contented themselves with picking up the paraphernalia and getting their charges to police headquarters.

Next morning when the penitent gamblers landed before Mr. South, J. K. Kennedy was ready

to prosecute and Frank Lyons and Gordon Grant to defend the Chinese. Lyons undertook the defence of the group allegedly in room 123, and Grant spoke for those said to have been across the hall in 121.

Now, while the Chinese were found in two rooms, and had been sent to the station in two batches, at police headquarters they'd all been booked without reference to the room they came from.

Said Lyons to witness Killeen as he viewed the ranks of mildly complacent Orientals: "Pick out those found in room 123."

There was a moment or two of confusion, then the witness had to admit, "They're all mixed up."

Simultaneously Grant and Lyons, a couple of fast thinkers, caught the same idea and whipping over to the interpreter asked him to tell the gamblers not to give their names.

Perhaps you knew Frank Lyons? An Australian, big, broadshouldered and quick-witted, he was not only an able courtroom fighter, but one of Vancouver's old time legal characters. He had a hobby of collecting expensive and flashy cars, most of them a fee from some unfortunate client. In Frank's practice he'd defend you on a double axe murder for a \$2.50 retainer!

In those days he lived in the West End, before Shaughnessy proved its social superiority, and it was a common summertime sight to see him charging along West Georgia at the wheel of a giant touring car, the top down, the back loaded with kids. Whether they were his own, I never knew. However, back to the courtroom.



Mr. Clark retired as assistant commissioner of the old B. C. Provincial Police at the time of its disbandment and the assumption of provincial responsibilities by the RCMP.

THE names of the 23 prisoners were not known until the adjournment. The judge, after a brief adjournment, returned to the courtroom.

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## A TRUE B.C. POLICE STORY

By CECIL CLARK

Illustrated by JULIE CLARK

# LAW FLOUNDERED

THE COURT CLERK called a list of Chinese names but no one stirred; not a flash of recognition illumined any of the inscrutable faces. South adjourned the case till next morning, when Kennedy put forth the argument that they'd have to answer to their names.

"Nothing of the kind!" roared Frank. "Go ahead and prove they were on the premises!"

The police gave the simple facts, entered and tagged the paraphernalia and then, unable to identify any of the Chinese, the case was again adjourned.

Next morning, by the time court opened, veteran police Inspector Dan Leatherdale had it all figured out with the help of the jailer. He'd unscrambled the names from the charge book by the numbers and cells allotted to each.

With the jailer on the stand Lyons put forth the question: "Did you warn them first that they didn't have to answer?"

Seems he hadn't.

"Then your evidence is not admissible," harumphed Frank.

However, just before the Crown closed its case, Kennedy thought he had managed to pinpoint the identity of one man. Lyons furiously protested and as the argument swung hotly back and forth, suddenly Frank Lyons came to the realization that he was expending his energy on one of Gordon Grant's clients!

By which time Gordon Grant was wildly pointing to the group saying, "No, no! That's the man, there!"

Killeen and Kennedy seemed equally sure, until finally the court caught the humorous picture of two defence counsel joining in a request for the named subject to step forward. He didn't budge. Why should he? Hadn't he been told not to answer to his name?

"Make him give his name!" urged Lyons and Grant, at which request Magistrate South's face broke into a grin. Seems he had never before seen the spectacle of a prisoner refusing to give his name to his own counsel!

Finally, after about 15 minutes of hectic elimination, they figured he was Lung.

"His name isn't Lung; it's Long!" said Insp. Leatherdale. "He's charged as Long."

"It's neither!" snapped Lyons, waving a \$25 bail receipt. "It says here it's Leung."

FINALLY it was interpreter Cum Yow who took a hand and after what seemed an interminable conversation with the prisoner turned to the magistrate with the simple explanation: "He says his name is Ling."

"Well, a Ling by any other name would sound as sweet," muttered Frank Lyons.

The session ended with Gordon Grant asking for a reduction in bail for his clients, from \$25 to \$10, but as no one could pick out Grant's clients, least of all Grant, the case was adjourned for three days.

It was a Monday morning when court resumed with all the Chinese again present. Killeen, on the stand, was asked by Lyons if he had warned the accused.

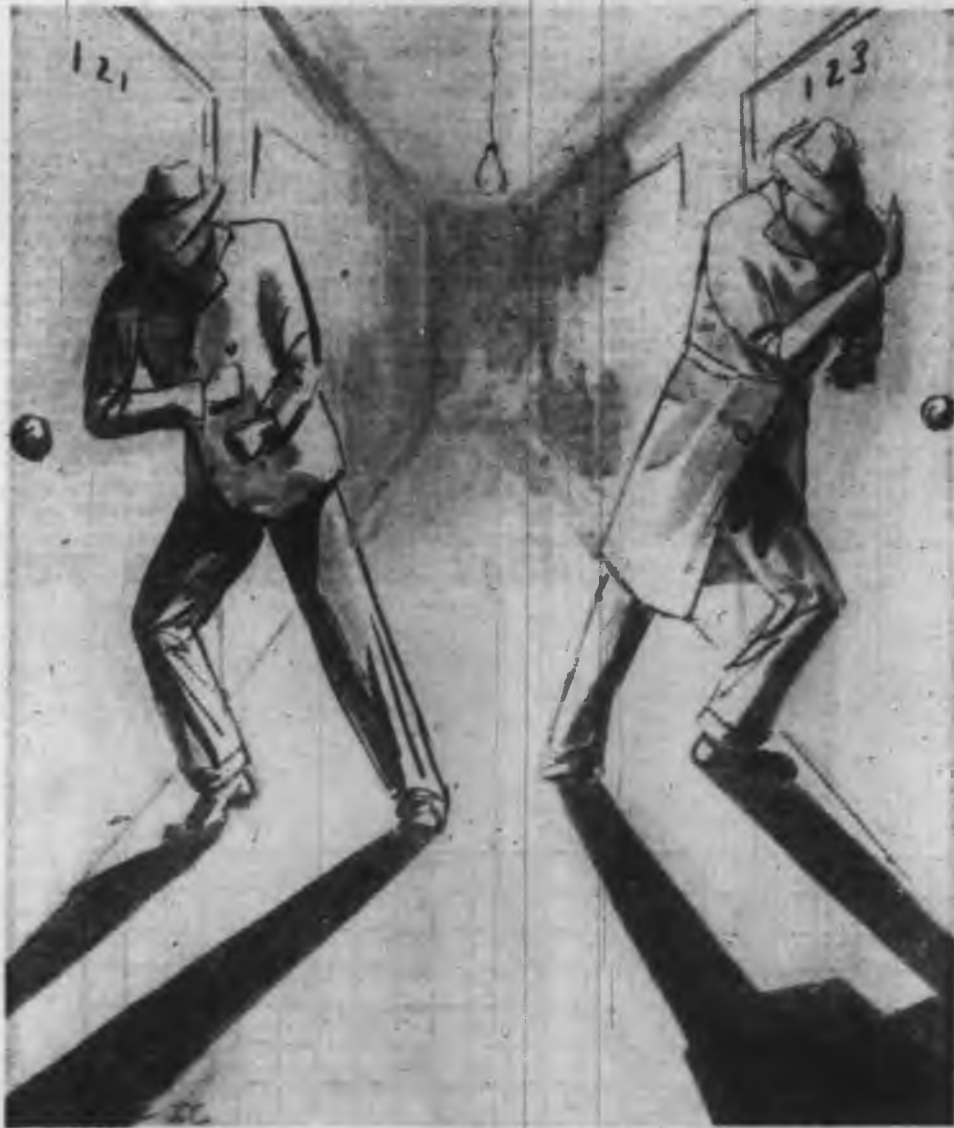
"I did," said the detective.

"Were all of them asked to give an account for their presence on the premises?" asked Lyons. The question stemmed from a recent Supreme Court ruling so that meter readers, bill collectors and such like, weren't swept up with the habitués.

"Well," said Killeen, in a temporizing tone, "in a general way. The question was asked collectively."

It wasn't good enough for Australia's gift to Canada, and another heated argument arose as to the effectiveness of Killeen's warning.

Suddenly in the middle of the legal hassle, Grant was struck by the penetrating thought that they were discussing the whole group, whereas only the men found in room 120 were



"... the law entered both rooms simultaneously."

as far on trial. The case against the men in room 121 was yet to be heard.

Lyons ignored the interruption and stuck to his point.

"They should have been warned and questioned individually through an interpreter," he argued, asking "You can see how ignorant they are ... they even refuse to give me their names!"

MAGISTRATE SOUTH had the final word: "I dismiss them all on the ground that they weren't asked individually to account for their presence on the premises."

As the Chinese caught the idea their faces broke into smiles but as they started to file out it was Killeen who had a sudden sharp idea.

"Only the men in one room have been charged ... How about the others?"

"What!" snarled Dan Leatherdale. "And go through all that again!"

Lyons with a chuckle offered his comment!

"Too late now ... remember! ... They've all been dismissed and you can't try them again on the same charge."

All of which goes to show that for rational

thinking, the irrational Chinese know how many beans make four ... in or out of the courtroom!

They still gamble, of course, in Vancouver, but are no longer bothered with the sudden appearance of the law. Though it took 30 years for the city council to come up with the idea, now they have chartered clubs, where beans, beads or buttons are deftly parted without legal interference.

As I said before, once again it's New Year, a time to wish our local Chinese friends, "Gong hay fah they," remembering at the time that even if they do read their books from back to front ... why not?

They had books before we did!

Next Week:  
**AXE-SLAYER  
STRUCK BY NIGHT**



# FAMILY MUSIC FOR FUN, NOT FESTIVAL

By BERT BENNY

The current Greater Victoria Music Festival syllabus offers, as one among 239 classes, No. 4: "Family Ensemble—Any combination of instruments and, or voices, all performers to be relatives (no age limits)." The selection offered is not to occupy more than four minutes and the entrance fee is \$2.

This same class has been offered every year since 1957. Eligibility has remained the same but the entrance fee has gone up and down like a yo-yo. In 1957 and 1958 it was \$1.50; in 1959 it soared to \$4.

However, the number of entries has remained utterly constant. Each year it has been precisely none.

Now there are families in Victoria which includes musicians of two, or possibly, more generations. If any of these were to perform in public—as at the festival—they would certainly be breaking no ice. There are lots and lots of examples of musical and theatrical families, though it must be freely admitted that there is a singular dearth of evidence that, famous though they were, their light ever shone at music festivals or competitions.

In the realm of music, which is the most pertinent right now, the names of Bach and Mozart im-

mediately pop up. Only seven out of around 60 Bachs, spread over seven generations, were not musicians. The particularly eminent Johann Sebastian was the papa of no fewer than 20 children of whom the second, Wilhelm Friedmann, the fifth, Carl Philip Emanuel, the 16th, Johann Christoph Friedrich, and the 18th, Johann Christian, were all eminent in the musical world. Yet another famous Bach was Johann Christoph who belonged to the generation of J. S. Bach's father. But this male sextet could never have got together, the last named having been gathered to his ancestors before any of the younger generation had put in an appearance. Johann Sebastian, however, and his four sons could have performed in company, with father at the age of 56 and the sons ranging from six to 31. And they could have kept at it for nine years.

The Mozart family—or three of them at any rate—did play considerably together. Among other places of artistic note they appeared in Vienna, Paris, Munich and London. Father, Leopold, was a violinist of some stature; sister, Maria Anna, sang, and Wolfgang presided at the keyboard. A tour which started in 1762 continued variously until 1766 by which time Leopold was 47, Maria Anna was close to 15 and Wolfgang was 10. And there were many other

musical families notable enough for mention in dictionaries and encyclopaedias which clearly suggests that there were thousands more which were not.

Precedent or no precedent, however it is clear that the music festival is not in the market for high-wire, wild animal or trampoline acts no matter how many members of the same family are involved. Nor is there accommodation in the dancing section.

The festival has had legally constituted "family ensembles" for at least the past four years, though not in class 4. In 1960, the "chamber ensemble" of Mary, Florence and Bernard Goward achieved the highest mark in the whole festival, 97 per cent, and the duo of Norman and Vivienne Abbott collected a most creditable 88 per cent in the junior sonata bracket. The Goward ensemble was also in there in 1959—in class 119 rather than class 4. If duos also constitutes ensembles, which the form of the festival program clearly suggests and the regulations covering class 4, nowhere deny, then, in 1960, there were seven family ensembles in piano classes; five in 1959 and three in 1958 along with four entries in two "parent and child classes." In 1957 there were, apparently, four further eligible family ensembles.

So that while there have been no "family ensembles" as such during

past four years, there have been 22 "within the meaning of the act" but characterized by other titles.

Of course, the very pronounced family "togetherness" of such as Gilbert's "Admiral Sir Joseph Porter, KCB" with the ever attendant cloud of "his sisters and his cousins and his aunts" or "Major-General Stanley" with his astonished bevy of delightful daughters has not been apparent in festival entries. But, surely, the function of the music festival is musical and not sociological? And, surely, it is better for family ensembles to achieve success in the festival—as they demonstrably have done—without any reliance on the quite extraneous and purely sentimental asset of family relationship?

And there is yet another point. Music or sing together at home do it mostly for fun, tolerant of error amongst each other, experimenting, varying and, therefore, substantially adding to their stock of musical knowledge and appreciation? Surely, the rigorous rehearsal of a single, not-to-exceed-four-minute routine would rob the whole business of the precious aspects of leisure and pleasure?

There are "family ensembles" in the music festival, though not under class 4 and, therefore, officially so designated. They're there the way they want to be with the enthusiasm all on their side. It's really good that way!

## SUNDAY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

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2 Savory meat  
3 Jelly  
11 Gorge  
16 Look at fixedly  
21 Of certain mountains of Europe  
22 Extinct Indian of the Bahamas  
23 Clustering plant  
24 Attempts  
25 Japanese measure  
26 Sun god  
27 Chinese measure  
28 Printer's measure  
29 By  
30 On account

DOWN

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2 Savory meat  
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SOLUTION NEXT SUNDAY

### Last Sunday's Solution

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PALUDINO MINISTERS  
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MOR OR SEANCES EAR BIR  
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CARDINAL ROS CACHALOT  
OAO DANES PAULS IV  
LAPP SORTS SALVE SNEY  
IDEAS SORA TIME STERN  
CARROT YATERS CHESTS  
SLIT PERIS SAIL  
STREAMER SIN THREATEN  
THE ACOPES THOTS ALA  
ACRA ROSES ANAAR CIRA  
RAVES DEAR DENT SPATE  
SLEEPS TRUNDIE SHARIS  
SIVE STEAL DEAN  
OPT TOPE GART AUL  
DATA RIDER OILTO PIRA  
RENAISSANT PRESSURED  
THAT TRAP TENS DEER



*The Little Indian Boy had a Lot to Learn*

# JOHNNY MOON'S CANOE COST 12 BLUE BLANKETS

*Johnny Moon was just a boy when Weyklakalas, his father, gave him a canoe. The canoe was just a bit longer than twice the stretch of Johnny's arms. Geekanees, the H'kusam canoe builder had fashioned it. It floated like a feather. Johnny's father had paid 12 dark blue Hudson's Bay blankets for it.*

At first, Johnny was told not to venture outside the pool, Dzawunade (having coho salmon) which was right in front of the village. But when Weyklakalas saw that Johnny had learned well he was allowed the full range of the estuary of the Salmon River. Only he must not venture into the tides of Johnstone Strait.

Thus Johnny could paddle his little craft from the village to Helade (Having many berries, now Brasseau Bay) more than a mile away. He could go to Melis (Little beach) at the mouth of the river, to Wamas (Tyee fishing place, now Indian Pool) and past Nulgumps (beach facing upriver) into Dzawunade (having coho salmon, now Beecher's Pool).

Through the long days of Northern summer Johnny spent much of his time on the water, not always in his own canoe. Often he went with his father and in this way learned about the sea. He saw the tidal whirlpools at Nomasa (Dangerous Point) and was taken to Negwade (Having salal berries) where women gathered the sweet fruit in mid-summer.

He learned where codfish could be caught off Sayamees (Beach where blubber is cooked, now Port Kusam) and it was across the mouth of this bay where Johnny was taught to fish for salmon.

When young Johnny began to troll he did not have to use primitive fish lines spun from nettle fiber or the hair of women, he did not have to use fish hooks laboriously made from wood and slivers of sharpened bone that his father had once used. Now Weyklakalas was able to buy flaxen lines and steel hooks for his young son.

Johnny's hook, baited with herring, was trolled about 100 feet behind his canoe. He held the line with a turn around his right hand so that the motion of paddling gave the lure a jerky movement.

When Johnny hooked a salmon he called out, as the Walatsama (H'kusam people) always did "Dala! Dala! Miox-wana!" (Hold tight! Hold tight! Salmon!) and while he pulled the salmon slowly towards the canoe, he said "Piff!" just as when he called his dog.

When the fish was alongside Johnny speared it with "tsexaupug" and when it was lifted into the canoe it was hit over the head with "tulwagano," then laid in the canoe, head towards the bow. Unless this was done, his father said, the other salmon would turn away and not come back.

By ERIC SISMEY

One year, in late summer, when "Satsem" (Chinook salmon) came into the river again and after the first salmon festival Johnny was given a salmon spear. Johnny's spear was shorter than his father's. It was about 10 feet long with two detachable goat horn barbs on a "Y" shaped tip. Each barb was attached to a long cord that Johnny held in his left hand. The barbs came off in the fish's body and the fish could swim the length of the cord and still be held by the fisherman.

Johnny spent many days mastering the knack of spearing salmon. The spear was propelled by the fingers against the butt and was thrown upwards so that it dropped into the fish. Johnny had to learn that a fish is not quite where it seems to be — it is a bit closer. If Johnny had gone to a whiteman's school he would have learned that this is called refraction. But Johnny did not learn from books. Most of his schooling was given by his grandfather.

Johnny's father and mother were much too busy to spend very much time teaching their children. There was the salmon weir to rebuild, every year, fish to catch and smoke, eulachon to net and to render into oil, berries to gather and dry, and a host of other things to be done in order to feed and clothe a family.

Grandparents, when they were no longer able to take part in the more rigorous work, taught the children. It was from "Atso" (Grandfather) that Johnny learned by heart the names of his ancestors back to the dawn of history, learned the traditions of his people, the rituals connected with inherited dances and the legends surrounding "keysoo" (crests) and "gelgalees" (traditional ancestral origin). He must recite them without mistake, so that when the time came he could take his rightful place as chief of his clan.

Johnny had much more to learn as his people emerged from a stone age into an iron age culture. He had to learn the use of the whiteman's tools as well as the crafts of his own people. He had to be weather-wise, know the tides and eddies of Johnstone Strait and know just how to get around the danger spots. Johnny was taught to orient himself by the lay of the coast and river — down river and down along the coast in the sense of northward and westward; up river and up along the coast in the sense of eastward and southward. Inland was considered away from the sea, and seaward, away

from the land, were the principal directions that commonly appeared in their geographical terms.

The Kwakiutl did not reckon in terms of distance. They did not say, "About a mile up the river." They pinpointed the location by a definite name. Franz Bows, for example, recorded 57 place names in a distance of less than five miles between the mouth of the river and Ninkish Lake. Unfortunately we do not have as complete a record of place names along the Salmon River.

Some of the names that Johnny knew have already been mentioned. There was "Wamas" (Salmon fishing place, now Indian Pool) at the river mouth, Dzawunade (Having coho salmon, now Beecher's Pool), "Kwatsi" (Fast water), "Lawayugwilas" (place for making a salmon weir) — and this is where Johnny had his weir, "Dzelal" (a lake, now Boom Pool). There was "Tseweyas" (Beaver place) — there are beavers there still — "Tewese" (Poling against current), "Kleekanequela" (Place having clay bank opposite, now Proulx Pool) and "Hanwas" (Humpback salmon place) which is the first rapid on the river above which the humpback salmon spawned.

These, the place names we know, cover about two miles of the river and without question there were many other names. We have no name for the island that divides the river above Beecher's Pool, where the village girls used to go to dig roots. There are small landing beaches that we still use and there are places where spears and dip-nets were undoubtedly used and where big trees, centuries old, lean over the river. In Johnny's time all these places had names, but my informant did not live at H'kusam and the names he remembered were boyhood recollections of long ago.

In later years, when compasses became available, Johnny scorned their use. He did not need a compass. He could cross the strait, if necessary, in any weather by use of a very simple device. In the bow of his canoe Johnny would have raised a tall stick. To the top of the stick he would have fastened a long line which he would have trailed behind the canoe. In this way it was only necessary to point the canoe in the direction he wanted to go and by watching the line as it trailed over the stern a canoe could be kept on a straight course.

This device is very effective. I have used it myself in thick fog in the Alberni Inlet. Collixon in his book, "In the Wake of the War Canoe" writes of his Haida canoeeman using this dodge when crossing Hecate Strait from the Queen Charlottes to the mainland. Half way across they ran into thick fog but on reaching the mainland they had only missed their landfall by a mile or two.



# Hull Down, Now, the Old Ships Are Vanishing

By JOHN DRUMMOND

*Is the day gone for ever when a boy may dream of knowing the thrill of billowing sails and creaking spars, of going to sea in a sailing ship of which he may one day be master — and know it can still come true? Are we ever again likely to see enacted — even if only for fun — the dramatic and exciting grain race between Australia and Britain, or even simply to engage upon leisurely sailing voyages carrying cargo nobody wants in a hurry?*

Will there be even a single worthy windjammer sailing the seven seas in 20 years' time.

These questions are prompted by the knowledge that even the number of training ships, such as the ill-fated *Pamir*, is dwindling, and that the old, tough, thrilling days of long and tedious sailing voyages are now little more than a twisted memory, or something to enjoy second-hand through the medium of the print or film.

Yet how we all long for the return of that age of relative leisure pictured for us by the sight of some graceful windjammer in the majesty of full sail! That desire, burning inwardly in most men, is reflected in the great success of the miracle film "Windjammer," in which the "star" role is played by the wondrously lovely Norwegian training ship *Christian Radich*.

When this beautiful full-rigged, three-masted frigate sailed serenely into the port of New York in her early days, carrying a group of cadets as well as the regular crew, ships and boats of all kinds in the harbor whistled their welcome. And crowds lining the seawall and piers waved and cheered at the thrilling sight of this graceful ship in full sail, giving them a bitter-sweet glimpse of a romantic and fearless age now rapidly vanishing.

Yet this 676-ton auxiliary sailing vessel, proudly bearing the traditional shark's fin on its bowsprit, is already nearly a quarter of a century old.

That landlubbers of all ages and races have this romantic interest in sailing ships was pointed up a few years back when the Mayflower project was in full spate. You'll recall that a Brixham (Devon) firm of shipbuilders created a replica of the first Mayflower, the sailing ship in which the Pilgrim Fathers emigrated to America, landing on the shores of Massachusetts in December, 1620. chusetts in December, 1620.

Though clumsy in comparison with the sailing vessels of later years, the square-rigged, double-decked Mayflower—a brigantine—was a sturdy ship, and no doubt thrilled many a lad as she sailed from England's shores for the New World. Certainly her replica aroused considerable interest, world-wide, when she, too, set sail across the Atlantic to duplicate the voyage of her ancient and worthy predecessor.

And how sadly did the world learn, more recently, of the sudden and dramatic loss of the beautiful, four-masted barque *Pamir* in an Atlantic storm. Sailors and landlubbers alike who were privileged to know this fine ship found it hard to believe that never again would they see her in full sail. Never again would she make the 80-day voyage from New Zealand to Britain, laden with a cargo of tallow and wool, or perhaps take part in some ocean adventure.

With what joy, then, did such lovers of sail greet the news in August, 1958, that a new

## Few Tops'ls Lift On Sea Horizons



PAMIR rides a gale-driven sea.

1,760-ton barque had been launched in Hamburg, designed to succeed the *Pamir* as a training ship for sea cadets. Named the *Gorch Fock*, this fine ship is now in commission and is claimed to be "unsinkable."

THE STORY OF THE SEA is crammed with tales of windjammers which won fame in some way, often, ironically, through their sudden destruction or disappearance in highly dramatic circumstances. Such a one was the 800-ton *Grosvenor*, which sailed from Trincomalee, Ceylon, for Cape Town one day in January, 1782, laden it has been claimed—with a fabulous fortune in gold, silver bars, precious stones, pearls, coins and ivory as well as two gem-encrusted gold peacocks from the throne of the Great Mogul at New Delhi!

Off the desolate Pondoland coast of South Africa the *Grosvenor* ran into bad weather and—incredibly—her captain allowed the ship to be trapped on rocks, where she quickly broke up. Of the crew and passengers, only eight survived both the shipwreck and the long, exhausting journey to Cape Town, across a wild and hostile region.

Yet it was the treasure—the gold and silver coins being washed up on the Pondoland shore—that brought fame to this tiny ship, a fame which still lures treasure seekers to the spot.

Incredible, too, was the mysterious way in which the sailing ship *General Grant* came to her end in the Auckland Islands in 1866, while en route from Melbourne to England. Incredible, indeed, for disaster came—not through a storm—but through a wind that suddenly dropped, a high running swell, and the captain's disastrous failure to drop anchor when he found his ship drifting towards 400-foot cliffs.

Not only did the ship strike the rocks, but she was slowly yet inexorably driven into a mighty cavern in the side of the cliffs, where the masts, scraping the roof, caused stones and boulders to shower down on crew and passengers below! Of the 83 people on board, only 10 survived to explain the mysterious

disappearance of their ship, and they—with others who did not get through—spent 18 months as castaways on a nearby volcanic island, their only source of heat a fire that they never allowed to go out.

Ironically, it was the treasure on board the *General Grant*, rather than the cruel fate of its crew and passengers, which brought fame to this ship. Although this treasure (gold bullion) was originally estimated to be worth £30,000, down the years since it has taken on a legendary value of £2,000,000!

As in the case of the *Grosvenor*, it was the numerous treasure seekers looking for this lost gold who have kept alive the story of this ship which bombarded itself into destruction.

Mysteriously swallowed up was the German cadet ship *Admiral Karpfanger*. This large, four-masted, steel sailing ship, especially built to train Hitler's naval officers, left Australia in March, 1939, bound for Germany. Sometime after March 12, when she reported by radio, she vanished.

The mystery of her disappearance has never been solved.

Of numerous theories put forward to explain this mystery, most intriguing is that which suggests that the *Admiral Karpfanger* was never intended to reach home, but was ordered to establish a commerce-raider base somewhere in the South Seas! The unromantic truth, probably, is that she hit an iceberg!

A happier fame, if of a less glamorous nature, was achieved by the lovely, full-rigged iron ship *Dunedin* when she sailed from Port Chalmers (port of Dunedin, New Zealand) in February, 1882, bound for London with the very first cargo of frozen meat. Despite various hazards which included "flaming sails"—set alight by sparks from the steam engine that operated the refrigerator machinery—and the captain's being "frozen stiff" while seeking to rectify the temperature of his cargo, she accomplished her tough assignment.

Though the voyage took 98 days, the frozen meat was perfect, the entire cargo of 5,000-odd carcasses being sold within a fortnight. A London newspaper described the venture as "a prodigious feat," while the New Zealand government expressed its pleasure by giving a bonus of £500 to the company responsible for chartering the *Dunedin*.

If we could attribute some measure of feeling to a ship, then no doubt one of the "happiest" should be the famous clipper ship *Cutty Sark*, now lying safely in a dry berth on the Thames at Greenwich, after a long and useful life. Built in 1869, this 690-ton full-rigged clipper won fame for her part in the grain races from Australia, and some remarkable speed records she set up! Apart from being used later, as training ship for naval cadets, the *Cutty Sark* was once owned by the Portuguese. Today she houses one of the world's finest collections of ships' figureheads.

How would she have fared, I wonder, in competition against the famous *Pamir* and the equally renowned four-masted barque *Passat*, both of which engaged in the last grain race? Could she have triumphed over the *Passat*'s fine achievement in winning this race—with a crew chiefly made up of adventure-loving amateurs, mainly Australians but including Finns, Germans, Welshmen, Irishmen, Englishmen and a Canadian—against the *Pamir* with her professional crew of New Zealanders? Could her captain—whoever he might have been—have matched the seaman-ship of the *Passat*'s Finnish master, Ivar Hagerstrand?

This is something we can never know, now.



## Granite from Iron

# CURLERS KNOW THEIR STONES

*How many of today's curlers realize that iron stones—and not the sleek granites of today—were once the exclusive tools of Canadian curling? If you're having difficulty applying the right finesse to your shots, hark back a moment to the day when 60-pound kettles were the weapons of rival clubs.*

From quoits to irons to granites is quite a triple play. But the Glebe Club of Ottawa which recently celebrated half a century of existence successfully engineered it and therein lies a tale.

One hot afternoon in July, 1910, a dozen or two quoitsmen were pursuing their summer pastime in the shadows under the stands of Lansdowne Park where today, on the same site, the pounding cleats of Ottawa's famed Rough Riders echo through the grandstands.

Probably the heat turned their thoughts to a cool winter game called curling, but an skidman among them suggested that Mayor Hopewell's support might be enlisted to set up a two-sheet rink on the identical spot—a municipally-owned jungle of pillars and posts that held up the spectators' seats.

Thus the Glebe (which means an ecclesiastical grant of land) joined the older Ottawa and Rideau Clubs to form the triumvirate of curling rinks adjacent to Parliament Hill.

Here in this beautiful capital city the irons were the exclusive tools of curling at the turn of the century, and the chartered members of the Glebe equipped them.

*This is another article by a man who knows the sport of curling.*

selves each with a pair of 60-pound iron kettles to do battle among themselves and with rival clubs.

These blocks of metal had a strictly local origin. It is claimed that the Highland regiments garrisoning Quebec City after the

battle of the Plains of Abraham cajoled the regimental blacksmith into cutting large cannon balls in half and fashioning handles for each. The barly Scots then put markers on the ice and began hurling these prodigious hemispheres at the target.

This episode started iron play in Quebec City and district. From there it spread up the shores of the mighty St. Lawrence to Montreal thence up the Ottawa River Valley and down into upper New York State.

Ottawa was one of the last of the iron strongholds to give way to the ominous rumblings of the now popular granite game. Thousands of Canadian curlers have never seen an iron and tens of thousands more have never played

with them; yet it took almost two hundred years before they disappeared from curling competition.

The "kettle," as it was affectionately known, was made of solid iron. It was approximately nine inches in diameter at the bottom, five inches wide at the top and around six inches in height.

In 1925 when a Granite Association was formed in Montreal the writing appeared on the wall and it spelled gradual doom for the irons.

Try the "two for one shot" often. It is the short raise. You get shot rock and a guard with one stone. This deadly weapon is too seldom used by curlers today. The shot is even more effective if other rocks are in front of the rings to allow angle raises for hiding your shot stone.



KEN WATTON

## WHAT OF THE NETSUKES?

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some aspect of life foreign to the Japanese themselves. At one time the Dutch people held certain concessions in Japan, and in this collection there is a small figure which is obviously that of an Oriental attempt at a native of the Netherlands. Another figure of foreign inspiration is that of a black slave—the features are aquiline, the Adam's apple is prominent, the limbs longer than those of the artist's own people.

Again, a prized netsuke is one which incorporates a seal at its base. (The type, of course, for applying to wax, not that to which one flings fish!)

THE PRESENCE of the artist's signature, as in all works of art, here adds to the value of the carving. Sometimes this is done on the piece itself, sometimes an infinitesimal strip of metal or ivory bears the identifying characters. Sometimes, too, the signature is an imitation, but apparently the connoisseur is not often deceived.

"After all," says the owner of this collection, "if the master's signature is genuine, the sculpture will be a masterpiece!"

Part of the charm of these small objets d'art is the cunning and care with which the designs have been adapted to the netsuke's original function—that is, to be tucked between sash and robe, and hung close to the body.

There must be no protruding



points, no sharp edges, no uncomfortable lumps. Wherefore the cane held by an old man is carved resting upon a foot, thus avoiding a breakable tip. The tail of a mouse, or a serpent, coils close against itself. The holes, too, for the use of the cords, are usually incorporated into the design, or placed at the back of the netsuke, in hollows, so that all will sit flat.

Some of the designs have been inspired by the shape of pieces not originally cut for the purpose at all. A lump of agate, amber, malachite or soapstone may have suggested itself to an artisan as suitable for a netsuke, and the ingenuity with which he adapts his



carvings to his material is plainly seen.

The book dealing with all of this is entitled, "Netsuke: A Miniature Art of Japan," and has been compiled by Yuzuru Okada. I found it highly entertaining. The author explains his subject well, with the occasional quaint twist in English which we frequently associate with the Japanese. Pertaining to the wide field of subject matter in the carvings, he remarks, "Their works were of infinite variety, which cause much difficulty to the connoisseur in discriminating them."

And having commented upon the endless pains the artist takes to attain perfection, he advises sternly, "The connoisseur should pay attention to this!"

The illustrations are excellent; their titles frequently very amusing. There is a "Mouse Peeping at a Turnip." An extremely annoyed, looking simian, scratching its head over a nut which apparently has turned out not to be a nut at all, is titled, "Monkey Vexed at a Hard Netsuke."

The prize, I thought, was a delightful picture of a scaly demon, rather like a lizard with a human face and long hair, gazing with panic-stricken desperation at a foot caught in the clam-shell upon which it is reclining, and captioned; "Kappa at It's Wit's End!"

Captain Gauvreau became interested in this form of Oriental art and commenced his collection some 20 years ago and more. He now has over 200 netsuke displayed in a glass cabinet. I asked if he had acquired many of them during his wartime duty abroad, but he replied, fairly enough, that a combat vessel during an international unpleasantness is a poor place to have treasures, unless one cares to take a chance on the lot of them going to the bottom.

I expect, furthermore, that he was pretty well occupied otherwise.



# NEW BIOGRAPHER EXAMINES JAMES JOYCE'S 'ULYSSES'

By WILLIAM D. PATTERSON

A masterly, definitive biography of a great writer is the goal Professor Richard Ellmann has achieved in his notable study of the life and art of James Joyce.

Titled with classic simplicity *James Joyce* (Oxford), this 842-page volume is truly massive in scope, scholarship and merit. It is a milestone of literary biography.

All true Joyceans—and they are a numerous and growing breed—will delight in this sensitive, searching book.

For readers who would like to understand Joyce and his masterpieces better, this lucid, fair-minded exposition is the best possible introduction to an often baffling genius. It was of his controversial novel, "Ulysses," that poet T. S. Eliot wrote:

"I hold this book to be the most important expression which the present age has found; it is a book to which we are all indebted and from which none of us can escape."

Professor Ellmann, who teaches English at Northwestern Univer-



PROFESSOR RICHARD ELLMAN ... takes reader by the hand

sity, makes the sources, the inspiration, the inner meaning and the greatness of this novel freshly clear for the average reader and also illuminates it anew with original scholarship and insights for even the close student of Joyce's writing.

With skill and taste, and with full command of a style that enables readability to triumph effortlessly over the imposing mass of facts he has to present, the author also chronicles Joyce's personal and professional life in Dublin, Paris and Trieste.

As an explorer of Joyce's life and work to show the raw materials of the former were converted into the finished literature of the latter, Professor Ellman is a superb blend of historian, critic and interpreter.

He has discovered the original

of the ineffable Molly Bloom, and constantly relates Joyce's family, friends and life in Dublin to characters and situations in both *Ulysses* and *Finnegans Wake*.

He understands Joyce's talent as an innovator of language, and shows that it was not merely a precocious device, but an artistic necessity for a writer who had to hammer his language into new forms to hold his vision of the world.

Joyce complete, good and bad, father, son, lover and husband, obscure and famous, is all here interpreted, illuminated and fascinatingly portrayed by a biographer who never intrudes, but always has the reader by the hand leading him with his powers of persuasive exposition into a fuller understanding and appreciation of the greatest creative writer of modern times.

## President's Odyssey was More an Ordeal

A PRESIDENT'S ODYSSEY, by Merriman Smith, New York, Harper & Bros., 272 pages, \$5.95.

Here is a record, by the veteran bedfellow of the Washington press corps, of the experiment in personal diplomacy begun and ended by former President Eisenhower. He calls it A PRESIDENT'S ODYSSEY, but he might equally well have used the word "ordeal," for it turned out to be both.

Looking back now, it is easy to see how naive was the president's assumption that his popularity at home would extend also to friendly nations around the world. Having known success all his life, the president automatically assumed that declaration would envelop him wherever he went. This might have been true as long as no hostility existed to the United States, but once the Russians stopped joking like the bubble boys.

Merriman Smith, UPI's White House stalwart, accompanied the president on all of the four goodwill trips he made in 1959 and 1960. He gives the clear impression that the zenith of the president's popularity was reached in India, where the fervor of the multitudes reached the level of a religious experience. The effect on Eisenhower was electric. He has always revelled in public applause, and India's tumultuous welcome turned him into "a bouncing bundle of grinning energy," Smith says he had never

before seen the president so elated, excited or emotionally charged.

It was in South America that jeers first began to mingle with the cheers. In Uruguay, a genuinely democratic country, the police had to use tear gas on the crowds. But still the president thought he could sway the people to him. Conceivably, he might have on his projected Russian tour had the U-2 incident not given Khrushchev a golden opportunity to humiliate the American president before the eyes of the world. Merriman Smith says that Eisenhower realized, after the U-2 imbroglio in Washington, that he would be sticking his neck out in Paris, but he had no choice. This is one of the penalties of public diplomacy: you have to take the slaps, as well as the claps, in the spotlight. The abortive summit in Paris turned out to be, in the author's words, "a shuddering thing." So, too, did the Communist-engineered burn's rush given to presidential secretary Hagerty in Tokyo.

"Was it all worth it?" asks Merriman Smith. Most readers, I fancy, will agree with his answer. "Frankly, I have felt that the fact that the president found this unprecedented use of his office necessary to reassure and encourage our friends was a reflection on the low level of our prestige, influence and confidence around the world." Showing the grin, whether of Eisenhower or Khrushchev, can never be a substitute for lasting agreements methodically arrived at.

From what President Kennedy has let fall, it is highly unlikely that he will go junketing around the world in the foreseeable future. Nor is Mr. Khrushchev likely to do so in America after the deep freeze treatment he received in



EISENHOWER ... as a diplomat he was rejected.

the U.S. last year. The lesson of this short-lived experiment in personal diplomacy is clear. The office of the president of the United States is the most powerful, most responsible, most dignified an American can attain; it should never, knowingly or unknowingly, be exposed to the least risk of public humiliation, ridicule or contempt.

### THIS WEEK'S ANAGRAM

(1) TONE	FLIE	DIME	EQUALS	???
(2) GNAT	"	BOAR	"	"
(3) INTO	"	CART	"	"
(4) VADE	"	HERO	"	"
(5) SOUR	"	BOON	"	"

Anagram answers on Page 7



A Great and Strange Man, Charles de Gaulle

# 'Benevolent Despot' Of Fifth Republic

By JOHN GELLNER

The suspicion with which the average Anglo-Saxon views the French — he may deny it heatedly, but the feeling is there — stems undoubtedly from the centuries during which "the Frogs" were the Englishmen's traditional enemies.

By some kind of osmosis, the Americans, too, acquired the British francophobia, although their history certainly gives them no reason to complain of France. This inborn distaste is nurtured by ignorance of French institutions as well as French political and social thought.

It must be galling to Frenchmen to see how little most Anglo-Saxons understand them — and how well they understand or profess to understand, and how much they approve of the Germans.

A book like that under review should, if it only were read widely, go a long way toward removing misconceptions and loosening the hold of preconceived ideas.

It starts with a most concise and objective exposition of the political setup and the social climate of the Fourth Republic (1946 to 1958). There follows a particularly clear account of the events which led to the assumption of power by General Charles de Gaulle and thereby to the establishment of the Fifth Republic.

The institutions of the latter are explained, but above all the spirit which permeates it, the spirit which is essentially de Gaulle's.

When they evaluate this great and strange man, the authors show the full depth of their insight into contemporary France. For they understand the de Gaulle whom statesmen of Roosevelt's and even Churchill's stature found



CHARLES DE GAULLE

merely irritating, difficult, unsympathetic. And they understand the French as few of their British

countrymen and few North Americans understand them.

This does not mean that the au-

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DE GAULLE'S REPUBLIC by  
Philip M. Williams and Martin  
Harrison: Longmans, Green,  
\$5.00.

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thors are starry-eyed about the France of today or, indeed, about de Gaulle.

Despite the latter's undoubtedly sincere republicanism, the Fifth Republic to them is still "a benevolent despotism partially tempered by republican democracy."

This is so because de Gaulle is indispensable, and because even his critics are prepared to pay in submission for his indispensable leadership.

As long as he is around, of the two dangers which in the opinion of the authors the French Republic faces, the "totalitarian threat is greater than the relapse into the old ways." Once he will have

passed from the scene, the latter will be much the more likely.

The authors are critical of French policy in Algeria, but — and this is again a refreshing deviation from the outlook current in the English-speaking world — they hold no brief for the despicable crew who call themselves the Provisional Government of Algeria and "assert their claim" to represent the Algerian nation "by the assassination of all who deny it."

The book was written before de Gaulle fully developed his idea of an "Algerian Algeria," and, of course before he decided on the referendum which was held recently amid violence and vituperation. The authors are, however, clearly inclined toward a solution such as that which de Gaulle is seeking now.

France, which holds a key position in the free world, has a right to demand from her friends more understanding, and more support than she was given heretofore. This is perhaps the most important of the conclusions which will obtrude themselves after reading this searching inquiry into the state of contemporary France.

## On the Dark Continent

By PETER WORTHINGTON

When newsman Louis Lomax visited Africa in 1960 he wasn't sure how the experience would affect him.

And after touring the east part of the continent, from Egypt to South Africa, he is consumed with pessimism.

He feels the huge African majority seeks to solve its "white" problem in a manner similar to the way some Americans tackle their Negro minority.

## DARKER PICTURE

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THE RELUCTANT AFRICAN, by Louis  
Lomax: Munnies; \$2.95.

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This bothers the author for two reasons. First, he is an American; and second, he is a Negro.

But he writes without noticeable rancor or resentment towards whites.

THE RELUCTANT AFRICAN is a different sort of book about Africa.

A black man is looking at the black continent, through slightly incredulous, uncomprehending and innocent eyes.

The Africa he sees is without hope so far as future racial harmony is concerned. Violence seems inevitable, Lomax gloomily concludes.

The book is written in easy-to-read language, and the viewpoints are worth considering.

On his trip Mr. Lomax was regarded as a brother by some of the African leaders who

are in today's news. Nkrumah, Banda, Mboya, Kuunda, Nkomo, Ngala.

In Ethiopia, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, the Rhodesias and South Africa he found little desire for future racial togetherness.

Though the book may be essentially correct in its overall assessment, some of the details are surprisingly inaccurate.

In Cairo, Lomax quotes Egyptian politicians at some length discussing "General Nasser."

Egyptians rarely refer to Nasser by military rank, and never call him "general." After all Nasser was only a colonel.

The author accepts the words of African leaders at face value. This habit can lead you to an erroneous conclusion.

What African leaders say, what they do, and what they think, often are poles apart.

It is to be hoped the African situation is not as black (if you'll pardon the expression) as Lomax depicts it. For the sake of 5,000,000 white men in the midst of 200,000,000 blacks, Lomax had better be exaggerating the future events.

## New Books

and

## Authors



When Responsible Government Came to B.C.

# TRUTCH was at the HELM

Eighty-nine years ago this month—Feb. 16, 1872—the first session of British Columbia's first Provincial Legislature was opened in Victoria by Lieutenant-Governor Joseph William Trutch.

Six months before, the Crown Colony of British Columbia had shrugged off colonial status and become a province of Canada.

The Speech from the Throne, read by Lieutenant-Governor Trutch on that red letter day so long ago, is now one of the great historic documents of this province, and should be much more widely known.

Trutch probably wrote the speech himself. Today, of course—and perhaps ever since Trutch's day—the Speech from the Throne is always written by the Premier.

But Trutch had been charged by Prime Minister Sir John A. Macdonald with the setting up of the new province's first government. He had to take part in politics, but once the government was functioning, and had been endorsed by the people in an election, Trutch became a constitutional chief of government.

In the crowded legislative chamber of the old "birdcage," which was destroyed by fire in 1867, Trutch read the first speech from the Throne:

"It is with a very high sense of the honor conferred on me by having been deputized on behalf of Her Most Gracious Majesty to open this, the first purely representative parliament convened in this far-off portion of her dominions; that, in her name, I tender cordial greetings to you, the chosen representatives of her loyal people of British Columbia.

"I congratulate you upon our having happily become one of the provinces of the Dominion of Canada—that grand confederation of British territories in North America, whose constitution is impressed with all the stability of a monarchy, combined with the freedom, elasticity and progressive energy of republican institutions. In this union the future prosperity and advancement of this great country—our adopted home—are securely established."

Trutch, referred to the past he had been forced to take in politics: "As a British colony, isolated on this continent, our prospects were clouded, and the idea of a railway through British territory to connect us with our fellow countrymen in Canada, was but a dream. As a province of the Dominion, our anticipations are bright and confident and the Canadian Pacific Railway is already a reality, and soon to be an accomplished work.

"The state of transition in public affairs incidental to the change in our political system, which existed on my assuming the government of the province compelled me to take, for awhile, the direct charge of the administration of departmental business in a greater measure than would otherwise have devolved upon me.

"I, however, availed myself of the first opportunity to transfer that charge from myself by appointing a ministry responsible to you, the representatives of the people, whom I have called to-

gether to deliberate on the public matters of the province, the management of which properly belongs to you, at this, the earliest date at which it was practicable for you to be assembled, consistent with the fulfillment of the requirements of our electoral law."

THE NEW PROVINCE started its life under happy auspices, as Trutch pointed out: "Free from debt, and with considerable accumulated funds at your disposal, I am confident that through your judgment and prudence the financial resources of the province will be so appropriated in works of a useful and productive character as to secure to the utmost the general welfare of the province."

Schools and tolls — they were problems and worries then, as they still are: "The establishment of a system of non-sectarian 'free schools' throughout the province and a sound and liberal policy of immigration will occupy your earnest attention.

"A bill will be laid before you for the abolition of the road tolls, which I strongly commend to your favorable consideration. The main trunk avenue which commercially connects the lower section of the province with the mineral wealth of Cariboo, is of a provincial character and beneficial to our entire community. The tolls at present levied upon this road bear most heavily upon the necessities of life and they practically forbid the introduction of machinery to the mines."

Trutch had advice for B.C.'s first MLAs: "I think it not inadvisable, gentlemen, to advert to the fact that this province, following in the footsteps of Ontario, has sought legislative success in the adoption of a single council chamber—a marked departure from the constitution of the parent state, and many of its dependencies; and that while the power of legislation thus conferred on you is undivided, your responsibility is proportionately increased.

"Henceforth the principal of self-government is to prevail. It has been conceded to you in deference to the wishes of the people and in accordance with the policy of the Dominion, of which we now happily form part.

"On you alone does the successful working out of that system depend. My sympathies, in common with those of all interested in our country, are deeply enlisted in your success, and I trust that under the direction of an all-wise Providence your labors may result in the advancement of the best interests of British Columbia."

TRUTCH MADE a great hit, as noted in *The Colonist*: "... There was loud cheering when the read-



Lieutenant-Governor  
JOSEPH W. TRUTCH  
... he was the first.

ing had ended, and His Excellency rose to depart."

(The colonial governor had been called His Excellency, and it took British Columbians a year or two to learn to call the lieutenant-governor, His Honor.)

Lieutenant-Governor Trutch was no sooner out of the House than MLAs embroiled themselves in turmoil about House rules.

We read that Amor de Cosmos "opposed" Premier John Foster McCreight—Mr. de Cosmos, being "agin" everything and everyone but himself, wanted "to see the parliamentary rules of Great Britain adopted, but Mr. McCreight replied that he was following the rules of the Ontario Legislature.

The legislative chamber had been altered to some extent, and the press was not pleased: "The reporters at the House are perched too high to hear the proceedings well, are deprived of light from the side windows and have less than two-thirds of the members within their range of vision. They labor under the additional disadvantage of sitting at the backs

of the speakers instead of having the faces of the latter toward them. In Canada and the United States, and, we believe, in Great Britain, the reporters' galleries are placed above the Speaker's dais."

There were other complaints about the refurbished legislative chamber: "... The whitewash on the walls of the legislative hall comes away when rubbed against. The person who applied it appears to have used a very poorly prepared article. Should one wish to know if a friend has been to the legislative hall he has but to look at his coat—whitewashed!"

THE SESSION moved along smoothly for some days, when Mr. de Cosmos announced he was going to Ottawa to take his seat in the House of Commons. In those days a man could be a member of both federal and provincial houses.

The *Colonist*, which had been founded by de Cosmos, but by 1872 was in other hands, disliked this gentleman, and said so: "Going away! It appears to be generally understood that Mr. de Cosmos will sail on the Prince Alfred today for Ottawa. We sincerely hope he may cut a better figure in the House of Commons than he has in the local Legislature.

"As a politician he is a failure. As leader of the so-called Opposition he has proved a signal failure. In going to Ottawa now, we presume he is acting upon the principle that 'he who fights and runs away, may live to fight another day.'"

"But what about the constituency that elected him to guard its important interests in the local legislature? Does this not look very much like desertion? The folly of electing one man to two positions, which no one man can fill, was pointed out in time in these columns; but the people of Victoria district were not wise in time and now they are deserted—left to their fate."

Off went de Cosmos. He had wanted to be the first premier, but Trutch wouldn't have him. And so, having stirred up our first legislature for a day or two, he went off to Ottawa.

The first session, as sessions ever since, dragged on: "Work is accumulating upon the hands of the Assembly and the amount of business transacted is light. Instead of sitting three nights in each week the House ought to sit every night next week, or until the board has been cleaned. From present appearance, and at the rate of progress made in the last few days, the session will last until June."

However, it was all wrapped up by mid-April; Lieutenant-Governor Trutch officiated at the ceremony of prorogation, and "so ended the first session of the first legislative assembly under responsible government."

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